

TOMAH YOUTH COMMITS SUICIDE UPON EVE OF DAY OF HIS WEDDING

Three Killed at Lowestoft by Four Teuton Seaplanes; French and Belgian Towns Hit

A Star Spangled Curiosity

The Majestic was packed to the gallery. The orchestra played "The Star Spangled Banner". Charles A. Dittman rose to his feet. He stood alone. Curious stares were leveled at him, as though a "nut" were at large. Some in the audience were inclined to rise, but were deterred by the fact that others thought Mr. Dittman was making a strange spectacle of himself. The music lasted for three minutes. At its close Charlie Dittman resumed his seat.

What a strange thing is the man whose patriotism is a thing of active emotion?

ELDER LAMBERT SUSPECTED ORPET FROM THE FIRST

Father of Dead Girl Says He
Thought of Elopement
when Daughter Dis-
appeared

POISON TESTIMONY GIVEN

Cyanide of Potassium Ordered Thrown Out by Father of Orpet Because Impure

LAKE FOREST, Ill., Feb. 21.—Calmly and with scarcely a tremor in his voice, Frank Lambert, guardian of the Kuppenheimer estate today told a coroner's jury that he had suspected William H. Orpe from the first minute he learned that his daughter, Marian, had disappeared.

"When Marian failed to return home on the Wednesday she disappeared, I thought she had eloped with young Orpet," Lambert said. "I put in a long distance call for Madison, Wis., where Orpet was attending the university, to learn if he was there. I could not locate him."

"Next morning with William Marshall, my friend, I started from the

WIFE NO. 2 AND

WEATHER

**WIFE NO. 2 AND
HER BABY TAKEN
TO STATE ASYLUM**

Mary Kronze Christian Goe
to Chippewa Falls; Hus-
band Is in Waupun
for Bigamy

of the two wives of Paul D. Christian, former manager of the Goddard hay farm at Grand Crossing, who is now serving a year and a half in the state's prison for bigamy, was today taken by Sheriff George J. Ritter to the state home for feeble minded at Chippewa Falls, Wis. She took her infant daughter with her. Mrs. Christian's mother, a student at the

It was said today that the other Mrs. Christian has left the state. Mr. Christian is shortly to be paroled from the penitentiary, it is believed.

Christian lived for several months in a house on the Goddard estate with both wives. After he had married Mrs. Christian No. 1, he began

to pay attentions to Mary Krouz. She lived with her mother in Winona, and he often went to see her and wrote to her occasionally. Then he married her in Winona, and brought her to live with his other wife. His name Officer Dewey uncovered the double matrimonial affair when the baby was born to wife No. 2. Christian was arraigned, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to a year and half in state's prison.

TWO DIE IN CHAIR

Three Killed at Lowestoft by Four Teuton Seaplanes; French and Belgian Towns Hit

FRENCH LINER IS CHASED

Boat Is Hailed by Raider
but Easily Escapes and
Makes for Bor-
deaux

BERLIN, via. London, Feb. 21.—German fliers raided a dozen English, French and Belgian cities yesterday, hurling down scores of bombs with destructive results, and returning unarméd, according to official statements made public this afternoon.

While our naval planes were bombarding the railway station, the gas works, the docks and two British steamers at Lowestoft, other German airmen attacked the Belgian towns of Furnes and Poperinghe.

behind to the Belgian and British lines, and the French cities of Amiens and Lunéville. The English town of Warrner was also bombed from the sky.

London Papers Alarmed

LONDON, Feb. 21.—With Germany's new submarine campaign against all armed merchantmen but nine days distant, the London newspapers today called upon the government to take prompt steps to combat the new crusade of frightfulness.

Warning was issued at the same time that another raid by Zeppelin may be expected to follow the Sunday attack by German seaplanes on the east and southeast coast of England.

Two men and one boy were killed in the raid on Lowestoft and Wambier, and all four German seaplanes escaped, though they were pursued by English aviators from Dover.

French Liner Attempted

From Paris comes reports of a attempted attack on the French liner Chicago, by a German commerce raider, increasing the belief that the Germans are planning spectacular demonstrations on the sea and in the air.

The fact that the liner, making only sixteen knots an hour, found it difficult to escape the supposition of a German raider near the Bay of Biscay, indicates that the German is comparatively slow going craft that will be easy prey for an English cruiser. A few hours before the craft ordered him to heave to on the last Thursday night the Chicago captain received a wireless warning that an enemy raider was in the vicinity. Without attempting to establish the identity of the stranger, he signalled full speed ahead and rushed into Bordeaux.

MANY COMPLAINTS IN FOURTH EFFORT TO BREAK BOND

Herman Helgersen Says His
Wife Threw Dishes and
Burned Up His Shirts
in Hearing Today

"She hurled china dishes at me and kicked me.
"Not long ago my wife tore several of my aprons and shirts into shreds and threw them in the stove.
"She swore at me and called me vile names.
"She said I was a tramp.
"She refused to get my meals and demanded expensive musical instruments which I could not afford and said 'I'll fix you.'"

These are some of the allegations of Herman Helgerson, proprietor of a saloon at 827 South Eleventh street, whose complaint in a divorce act against his wife, Bertha Helgers, became public today through a hearing before Court Commissioner Clinton W. Hunt.

The Helgersons were married December 2, 1912. The suit, now known today is the fourth attempt by Mr. and Mrs. Helgerson to separate.

Mrs. Helgerson first filed a com-

plaint in December, 1914. The case was withdrawn. Again in November of the same year, she filed suit. During July, 1915, Mr. Helgersson started action for divorce. All of suits were dismissed.

Mr. Helgersson recites several instances of dish-throwing, and alleges that once his wife chased him with a butcher knife and threatened to kill him. At another time he threw a pair of scissors at him when they went through a window.

TREASURES BURNED

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 21.—Orders of priceless value were damaged by a fire which broke out this afternoon in the basement of the state library building.

How the blaze started was not determined. It was confined to a basement.

**LEAVES SWEETHEART
AND TAKES LIFE IN
BUT FEW FEET AWAY**

William Larson Ends Wed-
ding Eve Call on Miss
Emma Edgerton in
Dramatic Manner

STEPS OUT IN SHIRT SLEEVES

Had Brought Razor with Which Crime Was Committed, Showing His Premeditation

MURDER THEORY IS EXPLODED

Belief of Brother That There Was Foul Play Given No Credence by the Public Officials

TOMAH, Wis., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—On the eve of his wedding day the death of William Larson, 21, either a suicide or the victim of murder, is agitating Tomah today. Late last night Larson was found

dead in the rear of his sweetheart's home, his throat slashed with a razor. Evidence pointed to suicide, but Charles Larson, a brother, suspected foul play because, he says, the razor found beside the body was not the property of the dead man.

Called into the case, District Attorney Peter Abel, of Sparta, declined to hold an inquest, concluding that there was no evidence of murder.

Larson was to have married Miss Emma Edgerton in this city today. Miss Edgerton resides with her mother, proprietor of the Home Hotel, situated upon the ground recently selected by the government as a site for the new postoffice. The couple had planned to leave Tomah on the fast mail, 9:05 this morning for their wedding, but their further plans are

Larson called at the Edgerton home at 8 o'clock last evening. As there were boarders in the hotel parlor the young people sat in the kitchen. Nothing was heard to indicate that all was not going well with the couple, and both Miss Edgerton and her mother say that Larson was in good spirits and seemed to enjoy his visit.

Girl's Fears Aroused
At 8:45 Larson rose and went in to the back yard in his shirt sleeves. As Miss Edgerton expected him to return, his prolonged absence without his coat alarmed her, and she telephoned the residence of Fred Larson, the young man's father, with whom he was associated in the sweetheart business. Finding that the sweetheart had not returned, Miss Edgerton instituted a search, which resulted, sometime after 10:30 p.m., in the discovery of young Larson's dead body in the back yard.

Took Razor With Him
Notwithstanding the evidence that there was no quarrel, it is felt here that something must have been prying on young Larson's mind, as he had evidently carried the razor with him when he went to make his call.

Naylor Is Employed

Following Mr. Abel's decision not to hold an inquest, the Larson family turned the case over to City Attorney W. B. Naylor, who is investigating, but who concurs with Mr. Abel in the suicide theory. Mr. Larson, following the discovery that the Larson family could not identify the razor as the property of the victim, made a canvass of the hardware and drug stores, and could find no razor of the type and make of that which killed Larson.

Clue to Razor Found

Following up this investigation, however, Mr. Naylor discovered the razor of the exact kind, and found it had been won at a "punch board" game in which patrons "take chances" to win a prize. One of the prizes offered at these "punch boards" is the kind of razor used on Larson. Thus far Mr. Naylor has not located a "punch board" in which William Larson had won a prize, but it is believed that such was the case and that the fact will be

In going over the case with Larson family Mr. Naylor pointed out that the blood trail showed that Larson's wound was inflicted near the house, and that he had moved constantly further and further away from the house, instead of toward the house as he would have done had he been trying to escape from assailants.

EDWARDS TRIAL MARCH 7

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—The trial of William Rufus Edwards, millionaire St. Paul lumberman charged with violation of the Mann act, was called Federal Judge Landis' court today and set for March 7.

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Prairie du Chien, Wis.

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—W. D. McGuire of Baraboo, Wis., visited his friend, Mr. Thomas Murphy in the city Thursday. Mrs. William Hazen entertained a few friends at her home on Tuesday afternoon. About seventy-five couples attended the first annual ball given by the Modern Woodmen lodge at the Grand Thursday evening. George Perry of Millville, was here Friday and Saturday to visit his

nephew, who was recently operated on at the New Sanitarium. R. H. Tate of Ferryville, transacted business in the city Monday. George Ingalls of Millville, Wis., was here Thursday and Friday visiting friends and relatives. W. J. Stuka of Lynxville, Wis., transacted business in the city Friday. Edward Rogers, who is attending Dubuque business college, visited his mother in the city until today. M. Barham, president of the Ferryville bank, transacted business here on Friday. H. V. Steiner, builder and contractor, transacted business in La Crosse Wednesday. J. G. Legnst of the Delos Construction company, transacted business at Woodruff, Wis., Friday and Saturday. Mrs. H. Peterson of Steuben, visited at the J. J. Hurlbut home the first of the week. The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Episcopal church met at the home of Mrs. L. L. Appleby on South Church street, Friday afternoon. Miss Mabel Harris, who has been spending several weeks with relatives at Rosobel, Wis., returned home on Tuesday. Mrs. Catharine Banner, of Rosobel, Wis., visited at the Curran home the first of the week. J. T. Crume and wife visited the first of the week with friends and relatives at Mount Sterling, Wis. Mrs. J. M. Crowley and son of Citron Valley, visited in the city Thursday. Frank Davenport of Ferryville, visited in the city Monday. Miss Stella Plummer and Rosalie

Stohlmeyer of Potosi, Wis., are visiting at the F. Stohlmeyer home this week. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ferris of Steuben, Wis., are in the city where Mr. Ferris is taking treatment for rheumatism at the Sanitarium. Vern Campbell and Hugo Tolzien of Steuben, Wis., were Prairie visitors Wednesday. Gregory Lucy of Ferryville, Wis., visited friends in the city over Sunday. Clare Berge, who is attending high school, spent Friday and Saturday with her parents at Ferryville. L. G. Jeglum and wife of Soldiers Grove, who have been visiting in the city, returned home Friday.

SPOTLIGHTS

"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE"

In sending their latest farce hit, "It Pays to Advertise," to this city for an engagement at the La Crosse Theater, Feb. 22nd, matinee and night, Cohan and Harris offer a play that puts idle laughter to work. Plays that promote laughter are more in demand than the somber sort and of the former there is not in the amusement world today a more profound hit than "It Pays to Advertise," which ran for one solid year at the George M. Cohan Theater, New York.

This farce has been ingeniously treated by its authors, Roi Cooper Megrue and Walter Hackett, who cultivated a breezy, good-natured story of the commercial career of a young man. In completing the thoroughness of all attractions Cohan and Harris send out on the road, the local engagement will witness the skillful talent of such players as Elsie Glynn, M. J. Sullivan, George Leland, James I. Mitchell, Daniel A. Anderson, James J. Gardner, Ruby Herriman, H. N. Dudgeon, Felix McClure, Doria Jordan, Page Spencer and Mason Emerson.

Rodney Martin, a rich man's son, who has been the despair of his father, because of his disinclination to go to work, is persuaded, through love of his father's pretty stenographer, to go into business after his father has disinherited him. Rodney's father is a soap king, and the son decides to go into the same business, and adopts a strenuous advertising campaign to attract the attention of the buyers. Father doesn't believe in advertising and tries to dissuade his son, the only result being to make the boy plunge more heavily into the advertising game. This, in brief, is the story of the play, the complete plot of which it would be quite impossible to give in a way that would adequately express its intensely humorous situations and laugh compelling moments. It is sufficient to say, however, that the father is brought

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The directions are simple. Get it at any drug store. It is applied by the expectant mother herself. It penetrates deeply and affords quick and splendid relief in a most gratifying manner and reflects a physical betterment to the nervous disposition of the baby. Don't fail to get a bottle of "Mother's Friend" today and then write Bradfield Regulator Co., 418 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., for a pretty little book brimful of information for expectant mothers. It is a delight to read it.

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to a point where he finally believes "It Pays to Advertise." "It Pays to Advertise" is the most successful farce that has come from Broadway in recent years.

TED DAILEY STOCK
The "Standing Room Only" sign was displayed for the first time in the history of the La Crosse Theater for a matinee performance yesterday, so the Ted Dailey Stock company must have "caught on." "There's a reason" too, because this company is giving La Crosse its first run of Big City Stock at popular prices. In addition to the great comedy offering of "The Traveling Salesman" there was the greatest display of Spring fashions ever seen in this city. Handsome living models dressed in the most lavish gowns and suits that the city ever saw pleased the women and the men as well and gave a tone to the play. Cohan and Harris with the two dollar show never had an attraction like the Fashion show given by the Ted Dailey Stock company. As an added feature tonight, the Galt-Wilson hat will be displayed. The Doerflinger company have had three sent especially for this occasion. This is the very latest thing in the millinery and has attracted the attention of the millinery world, and La Crosse is the first city outside of New York and Chicago to have seen the models as they are not to be released until March 1st.

On Wednesday night the Ted Dailey Stock will start their weekly "Pay Night."

SECOND INQUIRY FOR REPLIES TO PROTEST IS SENT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Secretary Lansing has sent a second communication to the British foreign office asking for replies to the note of protest against British mail seizures and the note of inquiry regarding the application of the British "trading with the enemy act" to American firms is was announced today.

GERMAN AFRICAN FORCES IN DEFEAT

LONDON, Feb. 21.—German troops attacked a British position at Kechumbe, in Uganda, but were driven off, according to official dispatches today from General Smuts, commanding the British operations in Uganda and German East Africa. The Germans lost fifty-seven in killed and wounded. There were no British casualties.

Who will find Roberta Hoyt—the police or the reporters? Begin the thrilling mystery serial, "Missing—Roberta Hoyt," by Adele Luehrmann, in EVERYWEEK.

The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

POSTMARKED BOSTON

BY ANNETTE DEARING

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"Why, my goodness, Dell, he hasn't even noticed us since the season opened," Marion stared down at the strip of crescent beach perplexed and frankly indignant. The new life saver stood as usual, leaning back against the tall piling near the life line, his arms folded, watching the youngsters as they romped and splashed in the surf.

Ever since the beach had opened he had been on duty there, stranger to all of the regular bathers and sufficiently good looking to arouse curiosity among the girls. It was his utter indifference to any of them that had proved disturbing. They knew that he lived about a mile up the shore toward the bluffs in a tiny cottage perched precariously on the edge of the coast guard's path. When the beach closed at six, he would stroll up to the postoffice, get his mail, order some things at the village stores and walk alone out to his house. He never appeared at any of the dances or entertainments at the hotel and if any of the girls did bow to him, he would only return it—never speak.

"I think he's a college boy earning money for his course, don't you?" Dell chewed on some grass speculatively. "His name is Taylor Crosby. I found out that much, anyway. I asked the girl at the postoffice, and he gets a letter every day postmarked Boston, and mails one back every day, directed to Miss Pauline Holmes."

"How perfectly delicious!" Marion exclaimed. "Fat ones." Dell added happily. "Still he looks anxious; so he can't be really engaged yet. Don't you see how anxious he looks?"

He surely did. Even gloomy. "We might get dad to invite him up to the cottage. Tell him we've heard he's a hero, don't you know? He's the best looking man on the beach, truly he is, and it's a shame to waste him. I'll coax dad now."

The major listened to his youngest non-committally, and sized up the life saver at a distance.

"Seems a decent sort of fellow, Marion," he said. "I'll ask Capt. Briggs about him. If the report's O. K. you can have him up when you like."

The report was more than O. K. Capt. Briggs went so far as to pass his opinion that Mr. Crosby was somebody very important in disguise just doing life saving for a summer diversion. Pressed for facts, he added he didn't know anything about him, but his ways and speech were enough for anybody to judge by. So Mr. Crosby found himself invited to dinner at Maj. Farley's cottage. He accepted, too, with a flushing tingling his tanned cheeks as the major put the matter up to him, for he had been quite aware of Marion and Dell day after day and their frank, girlish scrutiny of him. Not only did he come up that first night, but afterward, often, when the major found life at the beach full of ennui, he would ask him over for dinner or to spend the evening. It was enough that he was a Crosby of Niantic Highlands, just outside of Boston. The major had known a Brewster Crosby at Harvard. It did not disturb him a particle when he saw Marion's bony head bent close to Taylor's over the veranda rail in the August moonlight.

"Dad," Dell whispered, one night, perching on the arm of his chair, "I think Marion's falling in love, don't you?"

"Probably, God bless them both," returned the major genially. "He's a fine lad."

But Marion never forgot the daily letters coming and going from Boston. Not that she would ask him, but she wondered. Pauline Holmes—that was the name. She said it over and over to herself, her blue eyes darkening like summer storm clouds. And while he showed in every way that he cared for her, he never said a single word about it.

They had gone down to meet the afternoon boat one Sunday, Taylor had been telling her of his home, and suddenly she saw him step, alert and keen eyed, and stare at somebody getting off the boat.

"There she is," he said excitedly. "By Jove, I never thought she'd come."

He excused himself hastily, and dashed for the plank. Marion, chilled and tense, saw him greet a girl, a stunning-looking girl at that, and heard her laugh. They came toward her. She looked around for the major, for Dell, for any one to help her escape meeting the girl.

It was Pauline Holmes. She knew it. Something seemed to tell her even before she was aware that Taylor, brimful of pride and happiness, was introducing them. "Miss Farley, I do want you to meet Miss Holmes. I've been trying for six weeks to coax her down to the beach to take the leading part in the new moving picture play I'm putting over. The major agrees with me that she's the finest person I could get to play Jess, but it took some patience and perseverance to win her over."

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Glasses made, eyes examined. C. B. Stevens, 207 State B'k. Phone 481-A.	

There's so much to be done tomorrow.

After she had gone, Taylor strolled along beside Marion down the walk to the deserted bathing beach. He talked fast enough now. She heard all about his aims and plans—how he had been successful in working out his own reel pictures and feature plays. This one was to be a beauty, he told her. He had not wanted any one to know, but he had told the major because he had been so mighty fine to him. "I knew you wouldn't mind if I had—well, not told you all about myself. And I can swim quite decently, you know. It wasn't putting anything over that was wrong. I hope you don't mind."

Marion looked out over the old harbor at the fishing fleet just coming leisurely in, the old weather-stained sails outlined against the amber and jade-colored sky.

"I don't mind," she said. "She's very lovely."

"Do you know," he exclaimed suddenly, "I used almost to wish that you'd break down some day when you were out yonder swimming so that I could save you?"

She did not answer. "Marion, do you hear me?" Didn't you ever wish anything at all?" Somehow his arm was around her waist, and Marion forgot to look back over her shoulder to be sure that Dell was out of sight. It was wonderfully quiet down there along the beach, with just the gulls flying low and a reed bird calling now and then over the sandhills in the marshes.

"Nothing," she said softly, hanging her head, only that you wouldn't get so many letters postmarked Boston."

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5—Wed. 9085	20—Thurs. 9129
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7—Fri. 9091	22—Sat. 9134
8—Sat. 9095	23—Sun. 9152
9—Sun. 9108	24—Mon. 9146
10—Mon. 9112	25—Tues. 9132
11—Tues. 9117	26—Wed. 9138
12—Wed. 9117	27—Thurs. 9146
13—Thurs. 9122	28—Fri. 9159
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I, Frank H. Burgess, business manager of the La Crosse Tribune, do solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of the paper named, printed and circulated during the month of January 1916, was as above stated.

Frank H. Burgess
Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of February, 1916.
James Thompson
Notary Public.

PATRIOTISM IN LA CROSSE

The spectacle of Charley Dittman standing alone in the midst of a packed house with everybody else "sitting tight" through three minutes of "The Star Spangled Banner" is the sum total of La Crosse's response to the appeal of the Twentieth Century Club for outward demonstrations of our patriotism.

On January seventeenth the Houston County Chief published the following:
"The Mankato Free Press gets off a good one on La Crosse, showing how open to some visitors to the gateway city from another city when attending a show one night. The paper accustomed to rising in their seats when the national hymn, 'The Star Spangled Banner,' was played, and accordingly did so, when a multitude of La Crosse's typical citizens walked out 'down in front.' It is no wonder that the stars and stripes are torn down in towns where people are so lacking in patriotism as they are in the city of La Crosse."

Not a bluff-blow! slam at us, and we're no "preparedness" to meet the assault. However, it is consoling to not mitigating to recall the statement of a La Crosse man who attended one of the New York dinners which surrounded the recent appearance of President Wilson in that city that out of the entire assembly but eight men rose to their feet when the national air was heard.

Now we all know that the Majestic audience was made up of patriotic Americans albeit the more conspicuous patriotism of Mr. Dittman is far preferable to the passive type. As a nation we are weak in patriotic display, and it is a bad condition, for the psychological influence of patriotic demonstration is most important.

ant. The trouble is largely one of education. We don't make enough of patriotism in the home; the schools do not have enough of the right kind of juvenile reading and instruction looking to the cultivation of a sense of the nation.
The government itself is remiss. It is fighting for a billion-dollar "preparedness" program, expressed in terms of ships and guns. Why may not Uncle Sam take up the work started by the women's clubs, and wage a campaign of "preparedness" in the form of nation-wide patriotic propaganda. Is the "army and navy league" interested in this dollarless national defense?

SELECT A PROGRAM

Elsewhere in this number of the TRIBUNE appears an appeal from the Philharmonic society, to music lovers, to assist it in making the choice of its next program. This is an excellent idea. The society represents community music, and this democratic way of giving the public a voice in planning the concerts should not only serve its purpose of resulting in a popular program, but should inspire confidence in the organization and a friendly feeling for its active members.

It is something of an achievement for this society, which works for art and in spite of a deficit, to have so mastered thirty-two masterpieces as to be able confidently to present them to the public. It has been hard work, and they want the public to enjoy the results. There is a wide range of preferences in the matter of musical numbers, and the society now wishes the majority of the public to select the program. Those who vote will be helping the cause of good music in La Crosse.

RAISING TOY HORSES

Atlanta, Georgia, has a new industry in the breeding of miniature horses for children's pets. The animals are of various sizes, some of them considerably smaller than the Shetland ponies from which they are descended. They are better looking than the original stock and are said to be even more gentle and tractable.

Before the ponies are sold they have to be carefully broken and trained both for riding and driving. Several small boys who are employed to assist in this training are the envy of the many childish visitors who go out to the pony farm. Although a comparatively recent development, the toy horses from Atlanta are well known to horse breeders. The number ordered for Christmas presents far exceeded the supply, and the little animals were shipped to all parts of the country. Their price ranges from fifteen to fifty dollars according to their size, age and individual characteristics.

AGRICULTURAL JOURNALISM

A new department has been added to the school of journalism of the University of Missouri. It is called the department of agricultural journalism, and its object is to train both men and women to write more intelligently upon farm subjects. Its first plan included only the admission of students who had taken work in agricultural colleges. Afterwards students who had had successful journalistic experience were admitted to classes providing instruction in agricultural terms.

Although still in its first year, this department had an exceptionally large registration, showing the need of journalism as a complement to advanced agricultural education. It is planned to provide correspondence work for home study as a part of the work next year. These courses will be open to farmers who wish to increase their facility in the use of technical agricultural terms.

THE TRIBUNE'S DAILY TRAVELETTE
(By Nilsah)

Imperial Valley

The Imperial valley is proof that man classes with glaciers and volcanoes when it comes to altering the landscape. Here in southern California engineering has turned a desert into a truck-patch, and incidentally came near turning it into an ocean.
The valley is one of the few places on earth with a negative altitude. Parts of it are 300 feet below sea level. When the world was young a thriving lake did business at this stand, but the climate was too much for it and it dried up in discouragement. Until a few years ago the dry bed of that lake was a prize exhibit in the gallery of deserts—flat, sandy, featureless, so hot that there are no metaphors to describe it. It patronized Arabia, and looked down on the Sahara. Nowadays you can tell an Imperial valley man by the crop statistics that bulge out his pockets.

The change came because a feature of the local landscape is the Colorado river, flowing along to the eastward considerably higher than the valley. Long ago certain daring spirits conceived the idea of letting part of the river down into the old lake bed, but it took half a century to get anyone to listen to them. The trick was finally turned, and now a canal brings water via Mexico. At one stage of operations the river broke through at a place not on the program, and it took emergency measures to put the ardent stream back on the shelf where it belongs.

You come into the valley through gray desert, where sage and cactus add the finishing touch of desolation. The many autos plow heavily and boil their radiators. Suddenly you are in the midst of checked cultivation. Long ditches, straight as a rule, bring the muddy water that spells life and wealth. The scenery is not inspiring; it is all alike, and the climate is unforbearable to rhapsodies anyway. The thermometer still climbs to fabulous heights, and the desert blossoming is still a desert. But you go away with a renewed respect for the power of human effort, for the dreamers whose dreams come true.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Benevolence
Benevolence is not a disease, yet it is contagious.

Let one person start to be benevolent and everybody else in similar circumstances begins either emulating him or knocking him and picking out a nasty motive for the other's goodness.

Nobody helps anybody else in the right way till they've been through the same straits themselves.

If every man with a wart on his nose were to help every other wart-nosed person, were every tightwad to help every other tightwad, every village cut-up (or those similarly diseased) to contribute to a fund for worn-out village cut-ups, if every red-headed person were to assist other

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If you are irritable you may be the last person to realize it unless you honestly examine yourself. Are you? Are you subject to headaches? Do you forget easily? Is it difficult for you to keep your mind on your work? Do you have a sense of weakness in arms and legs and get tired easily?

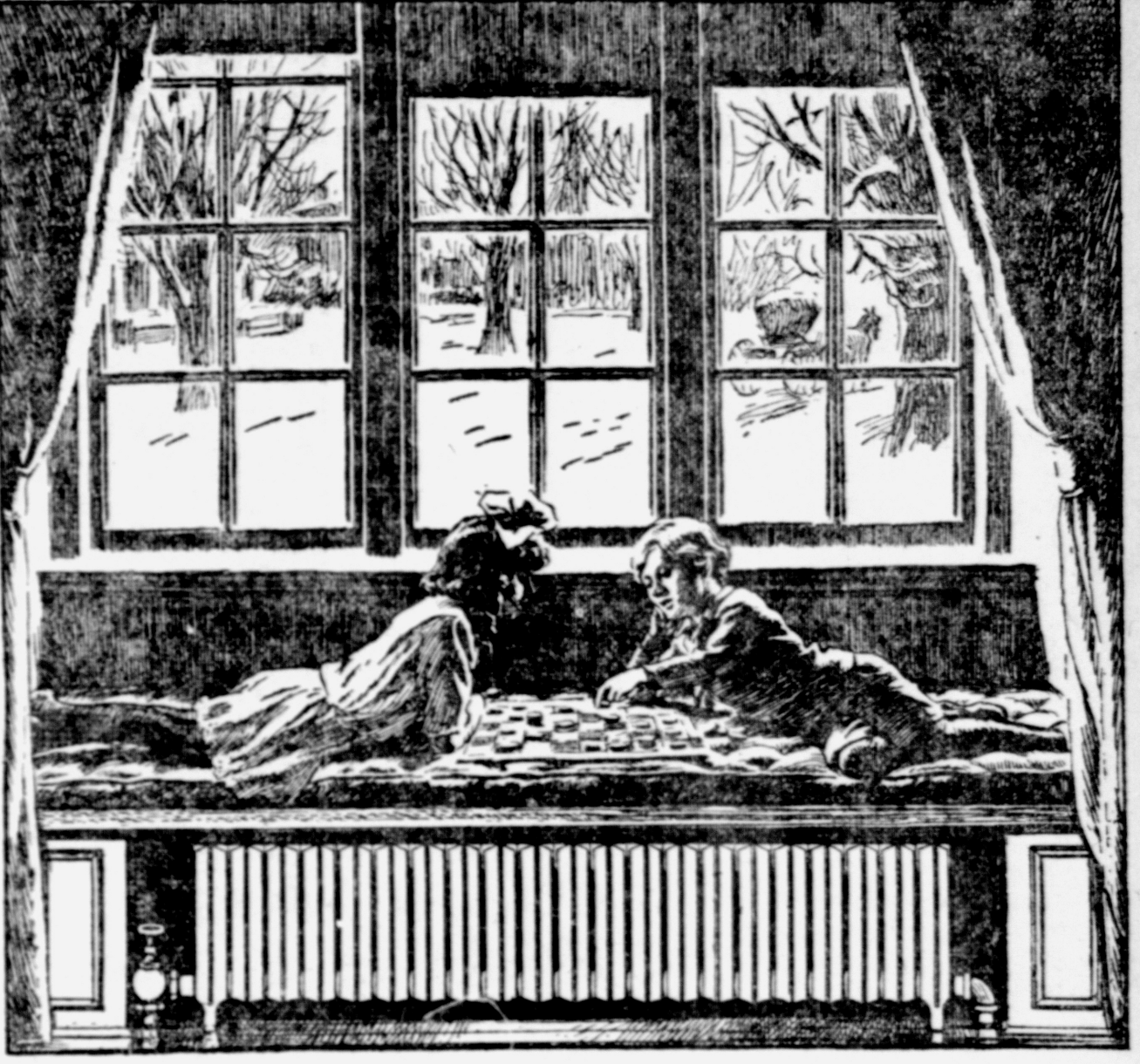
If this description fits your case you need a non-alcoholic tonic, for these are the symptoms of neurasthenia. Write today to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. for the free booklet on "Diseases of the Nervous System" and get a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from the nearest drug store. Begin the treatment at once. You can tell when the tonic action of the pills is helping you because your appetite will pick up and what you eat will not distress you. As the rich, red blood reaches every part of the body the feeling of weakness and depression disappears and you know that you are taking the right treatment.

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Footing the Bill
Mr. Newman had just recovered from an operation and was talking to a friend.

"The surgeon," he remarked, "said he'd have me on my feet again in three weeks."
"Well, he did it, didn't he?" asked the friend.
"He did, indeed," responded Mr. Newman. "I had to sell my motor car to pay his bill."

Putting One Over
The teacher was heartbroken over one boy in the class who was decidedly stupid. As a last resort, and, in fact, to really see if the boy knew anything at all, he said:
"Here is 10 cents go and ask Dr. — to give you 10 cent's worth of brains."
The boy returned shortly with a

dull disappointed look, and said to the teacher:
"The doctor wouldn't give me any brains. Shall I go back and say they are for you?"

Why They Cried
"Why did everybody cry in that last death scene?"
"Because they knew the actor wasn't really dead."

Somebody asked old Uncle Zeph if he knew the meaning of "circumstantial evidence." He hesitated a moment and then said: "Well, th' way I understand it is, circumstantial ev-

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"Dubkins is a great comfort to me."
"I don't see how you can say that. He's the most tiresome chump I have ever met."
"That's just it. Although I don't amount to much, it's true, every time I look at Dubkins I feel that I could amount to less."

PETROVA COMES IN NEW ROLE

Today and tomorrow the Casino will show "What Will People Say?" a five part feature picture produced by the Popular Plays and Players for the Metro program, in which Mme. Petrova, the talented emotional actress, is seen in the starring role. This feature is an adaptation from the popular novel of the same name, written by Rupert Hughes, one of the

foremost dramatists, novelists and short story writers in this country. Mme. Petrova is now appearing in "The Revolt," one of the season's stage successes, and at the conclusion of her present tour, will devote herself exclusively to the making of elaborate Metro photoplays. Under the Metro banner she has been seen in such successes as "My Madonna," "The Vampire," and "The Heart of a Painted Woman." In "What Will People Say?" Mme. Petrova is supported by a select cast of prominent stage and screen artists.

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SOCIETY

BIRTHDAY PARTY
Mrs. J. W. Jira entertained a number of little girls last week at her home, 1229 South Sixth street, in honor of the birthday of her little daughter, Marie. The children were accompanied by their mothers.

Announcements
There will be a meeting of the Men's Brotherhood of the First Methodist church this evening at the church parlors, for business and organization purposes.

Mrs. S. H. Hess, 215 North Seventh street, will entertain the Wednesday afternoon five hundred club this week.

Mrs. A. C. Wolfe and Mrs. E. C. Bartl have issued invitations for two bridge parties for Wednesday and Thursday of this week at the home of Mrs. Wolfe, 1516 Madison street.

The Helpers' Club will be entertained Tuesday by Mrs. H. G. Magelssen, 511 South Sixth street.

SURPRISE PARTY
Ira Livingston was pleasantly surprised Friday evening in observance of his sixteenth birthday anniversary. The guests were given a sleigh ride from eight to ten o'clock after which the party returned to the Livingston home where games were played and refreshments were served. Covers were laid for sixteen, the table being prettily decorated in pink and white. Theodore Hendrickson entertained the party with a number of selections on the violin, accompanied by Mrs. Hendrickson on the piano, and Misses Marie and Luella Amundson rendered several delightful vocal numbers.

SPELLING SCHOOL
An old fashioned "spell down" will be the feature of an entertainment to be given at Campbell town hall at half-past seven Thursday evening of this week, for the benefit of School District No. 2. In the spelling match, the school children will be pitted against their elders and a veritable "war of words" is predicted. An oyster supper will be served and a victrola concert will be given.

LUNCHEON
Mrs. J. Hanson entertained a party of friends at a handsome luncheon Saturday afternoon at her home at 347 South Twentieth street. Covers were laid for fifteen.

PATRIOTIC DINNER
Prof. and Mrs. Frank H. Fowler, 138 South Thirteenth street, entertained at a delightful patriotic dinner party Saturday evening. The decorations were in evidence throughout the rooms. The dining table was centered with a low bowl of red and white roses and blue immortelles, and festoons of the tricolor to the ends of the table. Covers were laid for twenty-five. The hostess was assisted by Mesdames A. E. Soderberg and Charles N. Harrington and Miss Jennie Smith. Five hundred was played during the evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. Alfred Harrison, Mrs. Paul M. Fampin, Mrs. T. J. Callahan and Mr. P. J. Yerly.

Social Briefs

Mrs. Josephine Jones, dean of women at the La Crosse normal school, is in Milwaukee to attend the state convention of deans.

A. Houthmaker, 126 St. Francis street, is ill at the St. Francis hospital with a severe attack of grip.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Rothing of Colesburg, Iowa, are visiting their daughters in the city.

Mrs. Homer Neal has left for Minneapolis, where she expects to make her future home. Mr. Neal will leave the city in about two weeks.

PLAN TO WEAR HATS?

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Washington society sees in the wearing of certain fragile flimsy hats at the president's reception Friday night a daring plan to pave the way for wearing regular hats at such events.

LEAVES MONEY TO CAT

PHILADELPHIA—Mrs. Rosalia T. Stewart, who died recently, has bequeathed \$1,000 to her Angora cat, known as "Mrs. Puss." The Merchants' Trust company is appointed executor for the cat.

Taking a chance may be all right, if the chance is distinctly in your favor, but it is not likely to be too sure about it.

NATIONAL WORKER BRINGS CHALLENGE TO THE Y. W. C. A.

"What Are We Going to Do with Our Talents?" Asks Miss Mary Louise Allen at Meeting Last Night

TELLS OF WORK OF ASSOCIATION

Impresses Upon Audience Universal Character of the Association; Part of a World Movement

"What are we, as a Young Women's Christian Association, going to do with the talents God has given us? It is only as we have a plus that we can give to other people. The plus we have grows the more we give of it."

This was the challenge flung at the Young Women's Christian Association, as a national organization, by Miss Mary Louise Allen, of New York city, member of the national board of the association, and editor of the "Association Monthly", in an address at the First Baptist church last evening. Miss Allen's subject was "Our Heritage as a Young Women's Christian Association." What we are doing with it today, and the challenge to us of the future. The meeting was held under the auspices of the local association and was participated in by seven La Crosse churches: The First Presbyterian, First Methodist, German Methodist, First Congregational, St. Paul's Universalist, West Avenue Methodist and First Baptist.

A World Movement
Miss Allen sought to impress upon her hearers the universal character of the work. "We are part of a movement reaching around the world. Our national motto is 'I am come that they might have life and that they have it more abundantly.' The association seeks in every way to bring this abundant life to girls not alone to the girls who need the help the organization can give, but I know of the more abundant life being brought to girls and women of the leisure class through the work of the Young Women's Christian Association."

The Tribune's Daily Fashion Hint



A NEW STRIPED EFFECT
Call it distiegue, chic, or what you will, but there is a novelty about this suit that makes it one of the most attractive of the season's models. The full, circular skirt is gathered to a high belt of self-material and worn with a Russian blouse which fastens in the back. Dashes of taffeta on the belt, sleeves and collar are the chief decorative features. In medium size the costume requires 4 1/2 yards 54-inch material and 3/4 yard taffeta.

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sociation, which provides an outlet for the gifts they have.

"It has been said that the Young Women's Christian Association cuts down the long and builds up the shorts. The long is the members who have something to give; the shorts need something added to them. Get the people together and then we will be able to strike a balance. There comes to us tonight, as a Young Women's Christian Association, this challenge: What are we going to do with all our God-given gifts? God has given us a plus that we can give to other people. Many people who have a plus are keeping it to themselves, thus remaining at a standstill. Only as we give of it does our plus increase."

Tells of Origin
In opening her address Miss Allen told of the origin of the Young Women's Christian Association and the things that have made possible the work of the organization as it is carried out today. The association sprang, she said, was born in England during the early Victorian period as a result of the work of George Williams, an employee in a mercantile establishment in London, who was instrumental in the formation of the first Young Men's Christian Association. Later plans of George Williams contemplated a similar organization for young women, but the time seemed not ripe and the plan was dropped. It was in 1858 that the first Young Ladies' Association was formed in London.

Speaking of the beginning of the movement in this country, Miss Allen told of the conditions leading up to the organization of the first association. "Up to the early '60s," said the speaker, "there were only three gainful occupations for young women: teaching, domestic service and sewing. There was little necessity for the association at that time but later events changed conditions. Invention of the sewing machine, the perfection of many lines of industry, tended to take from the home many of the occupations of the women. Girls were leaving their homes to go to the large cities seeking employment. In New England there was a well-defined movement of young women toward Boston, and therefore, March 3, 1853, a small group of women met in that city and formed a society, known as the Young Ladies' Christian Association, the prime purpose of which was to assist these young women in securing employment."

Celebrate Jubilee
"That was the first association in this country and it is in commemoration of its founding that we are this month celebrating our jubilee month, our twentieth anniversary. During this month the Young Women's Christian Association pauses a moment to think of its past, its origin, of all the things that have made possible the association as it is today. The association in England took as its motto, 'Not by might nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord of Hosts.' This has since become the motto of the World's Association. It was born of the sacrifice of women, who gave of their time, their money and their strength, and it would not be what it is today were it not for the consecrated work of groups of women in communities here and there."

Miss Allen told of the financial campaign in New York City, carried on jointly by the Young Men's and the Young Women's Christian Associations, and of the wonderful work now being done in the slums of New York as a result of the success of this campaign. "Girls are reached through the medium of this organization," she said, "who can be reached in no other way. Not a great many girls can be interested in a prayer meeting the first time, but soon can get through the gym, through the dance, through a club or some sort of class, and later you can touch them more with religious life."

Right Hand of Church
"Some people ask 'Why cannot the church do this work?' I answer, the churches cannot stoop to specialize on girls and young women. They must help whole families and cannot take girls and study them. The

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Mister Tambor and Bones playing clown
Come, come along and hear
The pea green tenor
Sing silver threads that never fade
Give three cheers—Hip, hip, Hoo Ray
Hey—You Reubens clear the way—
Tie your horse,
Here comes the Minstrel Show Parade."

This will be the merry minstrel man singing tonight at the Elks' minstrels, which opens its three nights' engagement at the Majestic theater. And it's going to be "some show." Listen to the siren song of the press agent:

"There will be more catchy songs, more good harmony, more funny jokes and more good feature acts than you ever saw before in any local talent production. More than that, it's going to be a fast, snappy show throughout. All those taking part are enthusiastic and are full of 'pep' and snap and they are putting the show over like old-timers. One of the big hits of the show will be the jokes, which are great! Honest they are, and they are new too, and will keep the audience in an uproar. And there is nothing in the world that adds so much to a minstrel show as good jokes, and being a local show it is only natural that all of the jokes bear a local application which makes them doubly funny."

"La Crosse in the year 2000," the feature act of the show, will be a scream and is played by four prominent Elks, who have been chosen on account of their special fitness for the part. Bill Hurtgen, Joe Bartl, Aubrey Richmond and Will Frazer are the principals in the act, and it goes without saying that the act will be a hit.

"Another feature full of comedy is the 'Darktown Wedding' in which Dr. Gatterdam appears as 'Mandy Snow' the coy and blushing bride, while Frank Burgess will be the groom, who was brought to the altar against his will, this being leap year, and the bride having taken advantage of it."

"Many other clever acts will be presented and one which promises to be a distinct hit will be Judge Klecker in his dapper suit speech. The judge has been practicing behind closed doors so that no one could discover the topic of his discourse and he will no doubt put forth some wonderful arguments in his sermon."

"Curtain will rise at 8:20 tonight and all should be in their places at that time, as the opening scene is one of the prettiest ever presented by any minstrel show."

WOMEN'S CLUB OF ONALASKA CHURCH TO MEET THURSDAY

Six Speakers to Take Part in Oratorical Contest at Onalaska High School Wednesday Evening

ONALASKA, Wis., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will be entertained in the church parlors Thursday afternoon. The serving committee will consist of Mesdames H. M. Cronk, William Blankley, C. C. Coleman, Lester A. Gould, E. L. Liddle and Miss Winnifred Gillilan.

Men's Club Meets
The Men's club of the Methodist church served a banquet at the church parlors Friday evening. C. E. Butters, of Viroqua, was present and gave a very interesting talk.

Girls Play Tonight
The girls' basketball team of the high school will play the County school girls' team in the Agricultural pavilion tonight. This is to be a championship game, so a good crowd is wanted to root for the players.

Oratorical Contest

Six high school boys will compete in the oratorical contest to be held in the high school assembly room Wednesday evening. The speakers and their subjects are:

Alfred Evenson—"Gettysburg."
Fred Brunner—"War and Public Opinion."
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Clarence Borsack—"The Wandering Jew."
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association has been called the right arm of the church. Neither will the social clubs nor the schools suffice. We must have an organization whose sole purpose is to study girls and their needs." Here Miss Allen told of the various classes of girls who are reached—students, foreign girls, immigrant girls, girls in all lines of industry, girls on the farm and in country communities who need the inspiration of the Young Women's Christian Association.

Miss Allen paid an eloquent tribute to the late president of the National Board of the association, Miss Grace H. Dodge, for nine years head of the national board, without whose work, she said, the Young Women's Christian Association would not be where it is today.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Lilian Finch, president of the local association, and Mesdames George P. Bradish and L. C. Coleman, members of the executive board, occupied seats on the rostrum, together with Mrs. Finch and the speaker, and assisted in the services, Mrs. Perry Cilley rendered in a pleasing manner the solo, "How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings."

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July 15, 1915.

My Dear Madame,
Mr. Shattuck thanks Madame very much for this morning Madame's letter. He is very glad his season it is looking to him already favourable. About of the operation of the large reclame, he have not any objection to do, and he let to Madame full liberty to treat of it like how Madame think better, and he applaud her new idea.

Mr. Shattuck is feeling better every day and we hope soon he can leave the hospital. The day before yesterday when for the first time they are trying to have him go up from the bed for to install him in the rock chair, he experienced so bad pain then we cannot find in this side of the hell, therefore they have not could, yesterday evening they was repeated again the operation and they have can to have him on the chair for few minutes. Yours respectfully, Mr. Shattuck's valet, LORENZO GALIOTTI.

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MAYOR TO SPEAK AT LEAGUE FEAST

Community Spirit Will Be the Topic of Bentley at Banquet Tomorrow

Mayor A. A. Bentley will address the annual banquet of the North Side Progressive league which is to be held in the Tabernacle Baptist church on Tuesday evening, February 22. His topic will be "The Get Together and Community Spirit."

Before the banquet, there will be a concert by the north side Military band, lasting about one hour.

The sale of tickets is progressing rapidly. Anyone wishing tickets can secure them from the Exchange bank, C. F. Figgie and J. G. Dubraks on the north side.

North Side Briefs

O'Neil Shoe Store. Come, Only \$1.19. John Maha, who spent Sunday in Prairie du Chien, has returned to his home, 1426 Berlin street.

Miss Hannah Joy, Ferryville, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Preutz, 1403 George street.

Miss Margaret McCarty, Menasha, Minn., is the guest of Miss Mae Johnson, 1446 Caledonia street.

The ladies of the St. James church will hold a coffee Tuesday afternoon and evening in the school hall.

Rev. Father John Kloecker, who spent the past few days in Chicago, has returned to his home, 816 St. James street.

Mrs. Johnson, 1826 Wood street, who is confined to one of the local hospitals with illness, is recovering.

Miss Florence Simonson, 1721 Loomis street, is the guest of relatives and friends in Minneapolis.

Miss Marie Stewart, Midway, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Nutting, 1829 Kane street.

Miss Annette Herrington has returned to Trempealeau after a few days' visit at her home, 1526 Avon street.

Harry Olson, 1512 George street is ill at his home.

Lloyd Engstrom, Minneapolis, has returned to his home after visiting north side relatives and friends.

Alfred Phieffer, Marinette, was in the city yesterday visiting friends.

Mrs. Ole Maklum, Westby, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Rick Wall and James Anderson, Holmen, were callers in the city over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dwyer and children stopped off at Mr. and Mrs. Dwyer's on their way to their home in Denver.

Mr. Isaac Layland, 2907 Wood street, was called to Chicago this morning on account of illness of his sister, Mrs. Ruth Jennings.

Mrs. Frank Smith, 1307 Caledonia street, has left for Stoddard to spend a few days.

OLD WHITE BUICK WINS FIRST MONEY

With a record of 261,800 miles, equal to more than ten times around the world, to its credit, a 1909 Buick, owned by F. E. Slason, of Plainville, Kas., made the most remarkable showing of any car in the mileage contest conducted by the Hyatt Roller Bearing Co. The object of the contest was to learn how far automobiles have run in everyday service upon their original equipment of Hyatt bearings. Mr. Slason was awarded the first prize of \$500. More than 300 tires, costing \$8,000, were worn out by the car.

Slason's "Old White Buick," which is known all over that part of Kansas in which Plainville is located, has been driven by more than twenty-five drivers, in addition to members of the owner's family. It has carried loads of nearly two tons, including pianos, trunks and all kinds of baggage. This car has a straight track speed record of 70 miles per hour and has been driven in stock car races in county fairs all over Kansas. It was a consistent first prize winner. During one week seven trips averaging 26 miles each were made at night after the car had been used throughout the day. Since the contest closed the car has been driven thousands of miles and it is estimated that it will be able to cover at least another 100,000 miles before it has outlived its usefulness.

THE MOVIES

DREAMLAND Monday and Tuesday "THE WOMAN WHO LIED"

Little Mary Fuller is at her best in "The Woman Who Lied."

FOUR REEL DRAMA. Show starts at 7:30.

THE BIJOU TONIGHT ONLY

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THE STAR

Today and Tuesday Cleo Madison in "The People of the Pit"

Two parts. Ella Hall and Robert Leouard in

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Fine Joker comedy. SIX REEL SHOW.

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Great 3 part detective story with Eddie Polo (Roleaux) and Murdock MacQuarrie. Also Dainty Billie Rhodes in Nestor Comedy.

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TONIGHT ONLY Henry Walthall, Blanche Sweet and Lionel Barrymore, in

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Featuring ANITA STEWART 'Friend Wilson's Daughter'

A quaint and very interesting drama in 3 Acts TUESDAY Wm. Farnum in

"THE NIGGER" Matinee and Night.

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See ad. on page six. New Metro Magazines free today and tomorrow.

THE STRAND TONIGHT ONLY

"THE HAND OF THE LAW" Three part Edison drama.

"LOVE, PEPPER AND SWEETS" Amusing comedy.

"BRONCHO BILLY'S MARRIAGE" Western drama.

ENGINE OVERTURNED—TWO DIE

HENRIETTA, Tex., Feb. 21.—James T. Adler, engineer and George Cassidy, traveling engineer, were dead today as the result of the locomotive on a Katy passenger train overturning near here yesterday afternoon. No one else was injured. Traffic was held up about seven hours until the wreck was cleared.

HIS STATION LOWERS

NEW YORK.—Daniel G. Reid gave his \$500,000 Fifth Avenue mansion to his daughter and will move into a modest little flat nearby renting for \$20,000 a year. The flat has twenty-four rooms and six baths.

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**CITY NEWS
TICKER**

Two School Holidays
This is a liberal week for local students as two full holidays have been allowed out of the five school days. Tomorrow is a national holiday and on Friday the western Wisconsin teachers come to La Crosse for their annual meeting, so it would be impossible for school to convene then. Many requests were made by the out-of-town students at the normal to be granted freedom on Monday, so they could go home over the week-end and remain until Wednesday, but this was not given.

Peddler Loses Horse and Suit
Shaver Joseph, peddler of the north side, will not recover damages

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for the loss of a horse which he left
in the care of George Crowe, a Mount
Prairie, Minn., farmer last summer.
Joseph left the animal at the Crowe
farm when he was called back to La
Crosse on account of the illness of a
member of his family. Crowe, it was
found by Court Commissioner C. W.
Hunt today, put the horse with his
own herd. The animal was so badly
cut on a barbed wire fence that it
was killed. Joseph said the horse
was worth \$100 in his suit.

Postpone Safety Meet
The meeting of the La Crosse Safety
Round Table, scheduled to have
been held here February, will not be
held until March 3, it was announced
today. On that date, the round
table will have J. D. Beck, chairman
of the state industrial commission,
who will speak on "Compensation."
The meeting will be of interest to
every manufacturer here, and a large
attendance is looked for.
Salemites to Marry
A marriage license was issued today
by County Clerk Bert A. Joli-

PERSONALS

B. A. Yeomen dance every Tuesday.
Walter M. Burke, of Kenosha, who
will take part in the Knights of Col-
umbus banquet tonight, arrived in
the city this morning.
J. C. Jutesen, Wausau, Wis., was a
business visitor here this morning.
Colonial tea, King Street M. E.
church, Feb. 22, 5:30 on.

George A. Tomerassen, Caledonia,
Minn., was a visitor in La Crosse
yesterday.

A. C. Sprouels, Superior, Wis.,
was a Sunday visitor in La Crosse.
Debot calls taken care of prompt-
ly. Radke Taxi, Phone 422.

O. A. Shoer was here yesterday
from Red Wing, Minn.

J. Aiken, Onalaska, spent yester-
day here visiting friends.

Grace Whitehouse was a visitor
here yesterday from Caledonia, Minn.

Mystic Workers' dance at K. P.
hall Wednesday night, Feb. 23. Ad-
mission 25 cents.

A. J. Wortham, Adams, Minn., was
here yesterday.

A. T. English, Arcadia, Wis., spent
yesterday at a local hotel.

Normal Lecture course final num-
ber Thursday, Feb. 24. Colonel S.
O. Shield's illustrated lecture on wild
animals and birds. Single admission
50c. Children 25c.

H. T. Karris, Norwalk, returned to
his home today after a visit with
friends here yesterday.

P. J. Fitzgerald was a visitor in
the city yesterday from Elroy, Wis.

F. L. Teter, was in the city from
Spring Valley.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Co.
for your next hack call. Phone 179.

J. C. Aiken and E. Frenk were
Sunday visitors at a local hotel from
Onalaska.

C. A. Vogel was a visitor yesterday
from Elroy.

Edward C. Emerson and wife, De-
Soto, were guests of a local hotel
yesterday.

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TRENTON PEOPLE PAY DEARLY FOR "HITTING TRAIL"

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 21.—Billy
Sunday left here today for Winona
Lake, Ind., leaving behind him nearly
17,000 "trail hitters" and taking
with him about \$32,358.93 in con-
tributions.

The evangelist wound up his Trenton
campaign last night when 11,000
persons crowded into the Auditorium.

Before leaving the platform Sun-
day he was handed a check for \$31-
981.00 as the city's "freewill offering."
Later \$277 more was given him
and there is still promise of belated
contributions. The campaign, it is es-
timated, cost Trenton \$65,516.65, or
more than \$9,000 a week.

Fought Cholera
The health service fought the chol-
era until instead of sweeping away a
third of a city, the plague took only
a few hundred victims. On one occa-
sion the people of Manila would not
believe that the cholera was among
them because their deaths were so
few. There are still outbreaks at in-
tervals, but the machinery for fight-
ing the disease is so well organized
that the old panics at its approach
are a thing of the past. The epidemic
plague has been put down by cam-
paigns of rigorous sanitation, and a
strict quarantine system. All this
work is being done among a people
who used to close every window
tightly at night—and still do, very
often—because they believe in an evil
spirit that wanders around in the
darkness. The work against smallpox
has been carried on by means of ex-
tensive vaccination, with results even
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were won over by means of cures
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—but it cannot be regarded as fin-
ished. It has not reached the stage
where it will run along on its own
momentum.

ette to Miss Lillie Garbers and Fritz
Diekroeger, both residents of West
Salem.

Hunts Get Back
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hunt, proprie-
tors of the La Crosse, returned home
today from Milwaukee, where Mr.
Hunt attended a meeting of the execu-
tive committee of the Wisconsin
Hotelmen's association. The com-
mittee decided to hold the 1916 con-
vention at Grand Rapids, Wis.

Real Estate Transfers
Property in the South side addi-
tion of La Crosse has been purchased
from Fred Graef by Frederick Betz
for the consideration of \$800, ac-
cording to a deed filed with Register
of Deeds A. E. Thompson.

Another deed filed records the sale
of property in West Salem, M. J.
Lee transfers property to Robert P.
Vick.

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EDUCATION IN THE ISLANDS STILL IN EXPERIMENT STAGE

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through it. It teaches over half a
million pupils, and employs nine
thousand Filipino teachers. It has
done more, perhaps, to establish
friendship and confidence between
the people and the government than
any other single influence. Yet we
cannot regard its work as done, its
future as a mere matter of routine
development. The permanence of its
results has yet to be established. The
present school system cannot accom-
modate more than half of all the chil-
dren of school age in the islands.

Hill Men a Problem

The education of the hill tribes is
just beginning. They present a prob-
lem much more difficult than the civ-
ilized Filipino. Shy, savage, supersti-
tious, they have to be humored and
coaxed, with infinite patience and
tolerance. If the Filipinos are given
charge of the government of the
islands, one of the surest tests of
their spirit and their ability will be
the way they carry on the education
of the Ifugaos and the Mangyans.

The Filipino himself often displays
a keen appetite for knowledge. There
are two higher schools at Manila with
a combined enrollment of over twelve
hundred, as well as the University of
the Philippines. The latter institution
is very popular, but most of the young
Filipino college men take courses in
letters and the fine arts. In the pres-
ent stage of development of the
country, it would be much better if
they cared more for the sciences and
engineering.

Manual Training Success

In the lower schools, a very suc-
cessful feature is the work in manual
training. It is no mere side-line, more
or less of a mere novelty, as it is in
the United States. An old Spanish
friar many years ago said that the
brains of the Filipinos are in their
fingers. They are dexterous in the
most delicate operations to a high de-
gree. Hence the manual training work
produces some fine results, with a
true professional finish, unlike the
patently amateurish products usually
turned out by such departments. In
these manual training rooms may be
found new industries for the
islands. The lace-making work has
been greatly stimulated.

One of the most important works
of the bureau of education has been
the way it spread the propaganda of
the bureau of health. The health
bureau work in the Philippines as
fundamentally important as the same
work in the Canal Zone, and the re-
sults achieved have been as great. We
found the islands in a state of almost
unbelievable uncleanness, swept
periodically by all the plagues of
Egypt, and every step forward was
made against forces of ignorance and
superstition. There were a few edu-
cated and intelligent natives who
realized that conditions needed bet-
tering, but that was about as far as
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Was Unhealthy

The Philippines used to be consid-
ered a particularly unhealthy place to
live. Our army in 1898 suffered a
hundred times more from sickness
than from bullets. Mindanao, south-
ernmost of the large islands, and home
of the Moros, used to be called the
only "white man's country" in the
archipelago. That is, if you could
escape being sliced with a bolo or a
barang, the chances were that you
wouldn't die of fever. But the rest of

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the Philippines were classed with the
African West Coast.

Nowadays that theory is thorough-
ly exploded, but it took some of the
best medical and sanitary work of
the country to do it, and it takes
more of the same to maintain it.
When the Filipinos take the tiller in
their own hands, one of their biggest
responsibilities will be to prevent the
islands from slipping back into the
state that killed tens of thousands
under the regime of the Spaniards.

Two problems in the sanitary and
medical campaign remain, which the
health service is just beginning to at-

tack. All the work done on cholera,
plague and smallpox is regarded by
some of the more enthusiastic Amer-
icans as a mere preliminary. The great
work, they say, is still to be done in
fighting tuberculosis, which is fear-
fully prevalent, and in fighting the
infant mortality.

Half Babies Dies
Half the Philippine babies die be-
fore they are a year old. This is due
partly to lack of stamina, on account
of early marriages, and partly to the
ignorance of the mothers. The child
of a twelve-year-old mother and a
fifteen-year-old father cannot be ex-
pected to have much of a constitu-
tion. When the mother feeds him
boiled rice when he is two weeks old,
it does not help much.

The health service, working hand
in hand with the bureau of educa-
tion, has made some progress in cor-
recting such conditions, but there is
a great deal still to be done. The
work among the wild men still calls
for infinite tact and patience. Now
and again the tribe is stamped by
some superstitious fear, or takes up
some miraculous healer of its own
who is a good deal worse than use-
less. One such healer, the celebrated
Queen of Taytay, started a cholera

epidemic by distributing water full of
the germs as a specific.

If we turn the Philippines over to
native government, they will carry
with them, among many others, these
two great tasks unfinished—educa-
tion and sanitation. A nation of eight
million people, one-eighth of them
savages, must be kept on the road to-
ward intelligent self-government. An
archipelago with a land area of 120-
000 square miles must be kept free
from a dozen virulent diseases that
ravaged it up to a few years ago, and
free from the filth that was long
thought an inevitable concomitant of
the Orient. It is a big contract.

AMERICA'S BUSIEST MAN

Far out in a small western town
we discovered that we really believe
to be the busiest man in the United
States. Who is he? How does he
spend his day? Well, we took a
handful of pictures of him in the
various occupations that make up his
daily program. See his story told in
pictures, in the Intaglio-Gravure sec-
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A lot of men like to assume that
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they carry a few dollars in their
pockets merely for ballast.

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Interesting Story Told Impressively in "The Battle Cry of Peace" at the Majestic

In "The Battle Cry of Peace," tremendous photo spectacle which comes to the Majestic for a week beginning next Sunday, J. Stuart Blackton has laid on his colors with a lavish hand, and made his lesson of preparedness tremendously impressive. It begins with a photograph of a lecture by Hiram Maxim on the lack of military and naval protection in this country. A typical young American, John Harrison, is one of the listeners. He is so impressed by the truth of the speaker's statements that he tells his friends and family what he has heard. They scoff at his ideas, especially the father of his sweetheart, a railroad magnate.

There are foreign spies at work, who advocate peace at any price, and meetings are held in which the white dove is conspicuous. All the time the enemies of the nation are plotting. Finally, with scarcely a moment's warning, a foreign fleet appears off New York and without further preliminaries begins to bombard the city. The troops are landed. The railroad magnate is shot as a sniper and the young man is also wounded. The invading hosts destroy private property, outrage women and pillage and slaughter relentlessly.

A feature of special interest to "The Battle Cry of Peace" is the display of modern devices of war. The adequacy of this country's defenses is revealed. Scenes are shown which compare the armament of this country with other of the powers, to drive home the lesson that we are defenseless. Through it all is an epic love story, of sweetness and tragedy.

CAPITAL ADMITS CRISIS POSSIBLE IN ISSUE ON SEAS

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 note could not possibly be construed as an agreement with the German view that merchantmen have no legal right to carry defensive armament.

Administration officials now criticize Germany for provoking the new dispute while the United States was trying to arrange with the allies an amendment to the international code.

Blame and Praise For Wilson
 LONDON, Feb. 21.—London newspapers generally agreed today that President Wilson is responsible for the reported estrangement between Secretary Lansing and Ambassador Bernstorff.

Headlines over the Washington reports took the view that Lansing's personal attitude toward Bernstorff has been dictated by Wilson because he feels he has been embarrassed by stories emanating from the German embassy.

All the newspapers gave the reports the greatest prominence. The Observer expressed regret that the English press in the past has been very harsh in its criticism of President Wilson, remarking: "We'll do well, indeed, to restrain our tongues and to offer no premature judgment at President Wilson's expense," said the Observer pointing out that the London papers heaped criticism upon President Wilson when it was reported he would accept Germany's new armed merchantman proposals.

Afterward, they were forced to withdraw this criticism. The Observer suggested that the foreign office send a distinguished envoy, preferably James Bryce or Lord Derby, to America to acquaint the Wilson administration, the American press and the people more fully with the viewpoint of the allies.

ELDER LAMBERT SUSPECTED ORPET FROM THE FIRST

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trolley station and followed the footprints through the woods. There were two sets of footprints and they led to where Marian's body lay. She was lying there on her side, her clothing undisturbed, and I thought she was asleep."

"Lambert said Marian had been in good health and apparently in good spirits for the two months last preceding her death. She and Orpet had been 'going together' for about two years, he said.

"We didn't object to that, but merely hoped their case wouldn't become serious," he said.

Questioned by attorneys for Orpet, Lambert said the cyanide of potassium he kept in his house was under lock and key and that Marian did not even know he kept it.

"She never came into the greenhouse," he added, "unless she wanted a bouquet."

"Did Marian own a camera?" Attorney L. P. Hanna, for Orpet, asked.

"Yes."

"Did she develop her own pictures?"

"No."

Orpet's counsel had maintained that Marian might have used cyanide of potassium in photography.

Marshall, a golf professional, was the next witness.

He confirmed Lambert's statement that he had sought to get in touch with Orpet immediately upon learning of Marian's disappearance.

Marshall also told of finding two little scratches on Marian's forehead.

Edward O. Orpet, father of the defendant, was the last witness before the noon recess. He startled the crowd, when he finished his testimony by walking over to the side of the room where the elder Lambert stood, and shaking hands with him. The two men, friends for many years, conversed for a few minutes and parted apparently in the best of spirits toward each other, despite the predicament of young Orpet and the death of Marian.

The elder Orpet testified that he did not know of his son's mysterious journey to Lake Forest on the night preceding the tragedy. Attempts of Coroner Taylor to force an admission from Orpet that his son had, since his arrest, explained to his father all details of the tragedy, were balked by counsel for the defense.

Orpet said the elder Lambert called him by telephone on the night of Marian's absence from home and said: "Your boy has got my girl."

"I told him that was 'rank nonsense,'" Orpet said, "for Will was in Madison. I telegraphed Will's landlady and she wired back he was there."

Orpet admitted ordering Percy Longwood, his assistant at the greenhouse, to throw away a quantity of cyanide of potassium on February 14. It was on this date that analysis showed cyanide was the probable poison that caused Marian's death. Orpet said the poison was impure.

Orpet said the poisons used in the Cyrus H. McCormick estate greenhouse were not kept under lock and key in the daytime, but were at night.

In the throng in the council chamber was a pretty young woman, who sought to keep her identity secret, but told reporters she was a former sweetheart of Orpet. She carried a bank book in her hand, and the name on it appeared to be "Busselle."

"No, I won't tell my name," she said. "But I went with Will for two years and threw him over. I knew him in school."

Neither Mrs. Lambert nor Mrs. Orpet was present at the inquest. Josephine Davis, Marian's closest friend, also was absent.

After introduction of the "alibi" letters in evidence, Coroner Taylor planned to turn the case over to the jury without further testimony.

With Our Folks at Madison

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—Arthur Sage Euler of La Crosse is spending the week-end with friends in Milwaukee.

On his last trip down from La Crosse, Jimmy Peterson of the law school had an interesting but expensive experience when the chair car which he had appropriated as his private smoking car was set out at Elroy. In the scramble and hurry to overtake the departing train, Jimmy lost much cuticle on the palms of his hands and destroyed the presentability of a new suit of clothes, when he tripped over various switch points and sidetracks in the dark yards.

Lawrence Brody, formerly of the La Crosse normal school, who left Madison ten days ago to accept a position at Glenwood City, Wis., has returned and resumed his work in the law school.

Ray "Tabby" Keeler and Ralph "Babe" Bradish, graduates of Wisconsin, were in Madison Saturday and Sunday, to witness the defeat of Illinois at the hands of Coach Meadwell's basket tossers.

"Bubbles" Maurer has been selected by the students of the Engineering department of the university to represent the character "Saint Patrick" in the monster parade and minstrel show to be given by the engineering school early in March.

WORK SCHOOLS HELP TO FIND VOCATIONS

What Student Does Most Easily Likely His Proper Work Declares D. W. MacWillie

"Among the greatest developments of education are manual training and domestic science," said D. W. MacWillie at the Industrial school conference at the high school Saturday.

"The work that one does most naturally is most likely to be his calling," Mr. MacWillie said. Mr. MacWillie urged vocational training as a means of helping the boy or girl to find his or her respective calling.

Warren E. Hicks, assistant for industrial education in Wisconsin, also spoke along these lines. He said:

"No one will be in school unless he is ambitious. There are two classes of industrial school pupils, those from fourteen to sixteen years, and those from sixteen to seventeen years. Give the latter class anything they wish, that is, such work as is most like the work they are doing in the shop. The first named class should be allowed to drift until they reach the second class, and then be made to work for one thing. Very little objection is offered by the employer today, if his boys or girls are required to attend part of the time. He realizes that it is for the good of the boy or girl and also for his business. Teachers in industrial school work have to be superior to any other kind and must be able to teach in such a way that there will be no misunderstanding by the pupil."

There were short talks on domestic science, and millinery by Miss Tillman, Miss Cronk and Miss Branat.

WEST FRONT QUIET

BERLIN, Feb. 21.—The war office this afternoon reported no important engagements on the western front. The British, it was stated, made unsuccessful attacks against newly conquered German positions near the Ypres canal, and southward along the Loos road.

On the eastern front, Russian attacks near Dvinsk failed.

SUNDAY CLOSING FORUM SESSION IS ALL ON ONE SIDE

Open-Sunday Advocates Are Without a Spokesman and Closers Occupy the Floor

WATSON AND STEADWELL TALK

President of World's Purity Federation Declares That Closing Works Out in Chicago

Although Assemblyman Karl Kurtenacker and C. F. Michel did not appear, and the meeting, instead of a debate, was an exposition of the position of the Sunday closing forces, the largest crowd of the winter season attended the session of the Open Forum at which enforcement of the Sunday laws was discussed yesterday afternoon. Rev. J. E. Watson, pastor of the West Avenue Methodist church, who recently lost in an effort to close on Sunday the Strand theater, around the corner from his church, and B. S. Steadwell, president of the World's Purity Federation, were the chief speakers.

Open Sunday Has No Speaker. After he finished his talk President Moncena Dunn called for a representative of the other side to answer the preacher. None responded. Mr. Kurtenacker and Mr. Michel, who had been asked to attend, were unable to be present, and the open-Sunday advocates were without a spokesman in their absence.

The West Avenue pastor advanced the unique argument that open saloons on Sunday are unfair to other business of the city. All business, Mr. Watson declared, draws its revenues from the same source—the public. The saloons, by remaining open seven days in the week, assume an unfair advantage over the others which are open but six days, the pastor asserted.

That Sunday closing would prove a good thing for everybody concerned was Mr. Watson's position. It would be better for the saloon keepers, he declared, and the bartenders would welcome a weekly rest. He drew an analogy with the barbers, who have organized to enforce Sunday closing among their members, although he said that barbers are not particularly well-known for religious tendencies.

Works in Chicago—Steadwell. Sunday closing has worked out in Chicago, according to B. S. Steadwell, editor of the Light and since its organization head of the international anti-vice association. He declared that on a number of Sundays since the closing law was enforced in Chicago he has been in the Windy City, prosecuting investigation in the tenderloin district with other members of his association. Drunkenness is practically at an end on Sunday, Mr. Steadwell asserted.

Mr. Steadwell took the liquor interests to task for what he denominated stupidity in not waging a campaign for law observance. Had they insisted upon compliance by all members of the business a few years ago, he said, they would have been allowed to continue many years without molestation. Now, he contended, abolition of the saloon is only a question of a short time.

The Purity league chief surprised the Forum by declaring that he was not opposed to all drinking.

"Drinking does not annoy me," he declared. "I do not drink myself, but I can see no propriety or right in attempting to set up rules for others."

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our most sincere and heartfelt thanks to all relatives, friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during illness and death of our little daughter Grace. Especially do we wish to thank the choir and Rev. Mr. Benson of Calvary Street M. E. church and all who sent floral offerings.

MR. AND MRS. CHAS. DOMSTRICH.

BIG BOND ISSUE FOR GAS COMPANY

Is Authorized to Put Out \$150,000 of Paper to Pay for Improvements Here

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 21.—The Wisconsin-Minnesota Light & Power company of La Crosse was today given permission to issue bonds amounting to \$150,000 to pay for improvements.

Local officials of the Wisconsin-Minnesota Light & Power company today could give no information about the purpose of the bond issue. Financial affairs of the company are handled from the Eau Claire or Grand Rapids offices, they said. It was believed, however, that the issue is to pay for the extensive improvement in the heating system and for the new power house just completed, both of which were done during the past year. No further construction is under consideration at present, it was said.

DEBUTANTES CHORUS GIRLS

NEW YORK.—Millionaire debutantes were chorus girls in Melinda and Her Sisters, produced for the suffrage cause by Mrs. August Belmont. Seats and boxes sold from \$5 to \$150 and programs for any old price.

LOCAL SCHOOLS PRESENT "ALICE IN WONDERLAND"

Immortal Story, Dear to the Hearts of All, to Be Given at Theater Friday and Saturday

For the third time "Alice in Wonderland" will be presented at the Opera house by the Lincoln and Hamilton schools. At each of the other performances the theater was jammed to the utmost and many were turned away. Repeated efforts were made, but no return date could be secured until now. Many good judges pronounced the show the best amateur performance ever given in this city. Since it was last given here seven years ago the music has all been rewritten and the play rearranged. It is even more beautiful than before. The play will be presented at the La Crosse theater Friday and Saturday evenings, with a matinee Saturday afternoon.

Miss D. Hope Leonard of New York city, the author of the play, is assisted in putting it on by Miss Edith Georgia. What these professionals can get people to do in a short time is almost beyond belief. The play will go with all the snap and vim that were the marvel of those who saw it before. There will not be a dull moment. There will be something doing every minute that will keep the audience on the qui vive. The lilt of the music will linger long in the memory. Many still remember the song of the wax dolls.

The principal parts are taken by young folks from the normal and the high school. The town has been ransacked for the best local talent. The finest La Crosse affords will take part. Beautiful young women and smart young men will put on "stunts" that will cause the audience to look sharp so as not to miss anything.

The "Play Ball Girls" from the high school, a song in the course of which they will toss balls out into the audience, to be returned. After these they will put on a foot ball game of their own, ending with the high school yell. All hands will want to get into the game with the girls. The "Glesha Girls," "The Cherry Girls," and "The Jap Girls" will all be there in song and step and fancy figures.

Costumes will range all the way from full evening dress to the fancy costumes and the absurd raiment of the comedy people. Hundreds of children will march and counter-march in bewildering evolutions amid a riot of color.

Six pretty little girls from the kindergarten will play the part of wax dolls. The kiddie doll Alice throws to the audience will be worth the price of admission. Flag girls, sailor girls, sailor boys, march girls and Injuns, big and little, will be there by scores. The patriotic element will be represented by Columbia, Uncle Sam, a volunteer and a rough rider.

Finally the immortal story of "Alice in Wonderland" and all her wonderful adventures there will be laughingly portrayed by an able cast.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to extend our sincere and heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during our recent double bereavement. Especially do we wish to thank Rev. Gamm and for the floral offerings.

MRS. JULIUS BUELOW

AND FAMILY.

HOWEY LAND CO. CHANGES OFFICE

O. L. Johnson Joins H. A. Nebel and Firm Will Specialize in Florida and Northwest Lands

The W. J. Howey Land company announces the removal of its offices to Rooms 7 and 8 in the Continental building. H. A. Nebel, who has charge of this company's Wisconsin business, will have associated with him O. L. Johnson, formerly of the Roth Realty company. The firm will specialize in Florida citrus fruit lands, Wisconsin, Iowa and Minnesota improved farms, loans and mortgages.

MRS. BOUFFLEUR GOES TO REWARD

Mrs. Anna Bouffleur, a native of Germany, died at the home of her son, John Bouffleur, 419 South Seventh street, early yesterday morning. Mrs. Bouffleur was in her eightieth year.

Mrs. Bouffleur was born in Germany June 14, 1836. Four daughters survive: Mrs. J. A. Thompson, Alvie, Montana; Mrs. O. C. Swain, William, N. D.; Mrs. R. H. Poe, Siles, N. D.; Mrs. E. R. Gardner, Cambridge, Wis.; and four sons, Mr. William Bouffleur, Tugallup, Washington; Philip Bouffleur, Chaseburg, Wis.; Fred Bouffleur, Dover, Minn., and A. Bouffleur, La Crosse.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock from the cathedral, Rev. P. Pape officiating. Burial will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

UPHOLDS LIQUOR LAW

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—A decision of the supreme court today in effect declared South Carolina's dispensary liquor law constitutional in deciding the appeal of the Carolina Glass company, charged in the state courts with conspiracy.

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"CAMILLE"



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WEEK

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WED.
2 Matinees
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We are presenting this

Shubert Masterpiece

for two days, as it is Clara Kimball Young's greatest screen drama, and we are anxious for all our patrons to see the best in pictures. We urge all to come to matinees if possible. You will have to come early evenings to get a seat. Matinees at 2. Evenings 7 o'clock.

TONIGHT: Last showing of **THE IMMIGRANT** and the first Paramount Bray Comedies.

The BIJOU—Home of Big Pictures

NORMAL CHIEFS OF SIXTEEN STATES HEADED BY COTTON

Local Normal President Is Chosen Executive of the North Central Council at Chicago Meeting

At a meeting of the North Central Council of State Normal School Presidents held at Chicago on Saturday, President Fassett A. Cotton of the La Crosse normal was elected president of the normal school presidents of sixteen states. This is one of the highest positions of honor for a normal president to attain. The states included in the north central district are Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Minnesota, Montana, Missouri, Michigan, Nebraska, North and South Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma and Wisconsin.

MANY ATTEND THE DOUBLE FUNERAL FATHER AND SON

Julius Buelow and his son, John, to whom death came at an interval of scarcely thirty-six hours the latter part of last week, were buried together yesterday. Double funeral services were held at 2:30 yesterday afternoon from the German Lutheran church. More than 1,400 friends and relatives attended. Burial was made in Oak Grove cemetery.

A man may not know when Lent begins, but he can always tell you when the bock beer season is due to open.

KNIGHTS OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY WITH BANQUET TONIGHT

With a program opening with a banquet and informal speeches, the local Knights of Columbus will tonight celebrate the twelfth anniversary of the organization of the Knights of Columbus order of America. State Deputy W. M. Burke of Kenosha, well known here through participation in several affairs given by the local knights, will deliver the principal address of the evening. The banquet will be held in the Elks' dining hall and will begin at 7:30.

MRS. FRANK COEDE DIES AFTER ILLNESS OF THREE WEEKS

Mrs. Frank Goede died at her home, 1705 Badger street, Sunday afternoon at 2:10 after an illness of three weeks. She was born July 28, 1849, in Kreis Schlame, Pomerania, Germany. In 1868 she came to this city and in 1876 was married to Frank Goede, moving the same year to South Ridge, Houston county, Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Goede returned to this city in 1904 and have lived here since. Her husband is the only survivor. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m. from the residence and 2:30 p. m. from the German Lutheran church. Rev. J. T. Gamm will officiate, interment will be made in Oak Grove cemetery.

A method has been invented for stopping a leak in a vessel with compressed air without injury to other parts of the vessel.

Tired Tonight?

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TONIGHT La Crosse Theatre TONIGHT

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N. B.—THIS COMPANY GIVES WAY TO "IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE" TUESDAY.

PAY NIGHT—WEDNESDAY NIGHT



You know who this is. Prizes for You if you can guess who the others are.

Today
and
Tomorrow

Appearing below are the pictures of twelve well known motion picture stars. How many of them do you recognize? Study the pictures and make out a list of those you know, giving number and name. A sixty day pass, good for two, at either the Strand or Casino will be offered as first prize to the first person turning in a correct list. A thirty day pass good for two at either theatre, will be second prize, and a thirty day pass, good for one person, at either theatre, will be the third prize. All persons turning in a list with six or more correct answers will receive two admission tickets at either theatre. All answers must be handed in by Friday night Feb. 25. On Saturday the names of the stars will appear under their pictures, and the names of the prize winners will also be published on Saturday. Chaplin's picture is not to be included.

Mme. PETROVA in
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Still a few more Coats at \$1.50 and Suits at \$7.50 Val. to \$10.00

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I wash this dainty lady's clothes,—
She's spick and span where e'er she goes.
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And temper, too, and all-day fuss.
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Pages of descriptive matter would not give you an adequate idea of this splendid washing machine. We want you to see it.

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All the latest Player Music Rolls and Records. Call and look over our new stock. We carry the largest and most complete line of Pianos and Players in the city.

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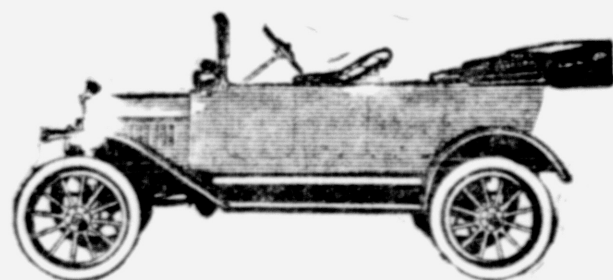
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BE PRETTY! TURN GRAY HAIR DARK

Try Grandmother's old Favorite Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for "Wash of Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this famous old recipe for about 50 cents.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy.

WHICH HUSBAND WILL WIN?

Seven women in the United States hope and believe that their husband may be the next President of the nation. Which one will win? See their names, their faces and their chance to win in the Intaglio-Gravure section of EVERYWEEK.

FOR BRONCHITIS, PAINFUL COUGH, WHOOPIING COUGH AND COLDS

Cheapest Remedy Made at Home—128 Teaspoonful for 50 Cents.

When in need of a remedy for the treatment of Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Croup, Stomach Coughs, Colds or Hoarseness, don't simply ask the druggist for a "Cough Medicine" but get the best. Tell him to give you Schiffmann's New Concentrated Expecto-rant, instead of being induced into buying something else purely on the strength of some testimonials or the exaggerated claims of the manufacturer. The same "Money Back" guarantee goes with every bottle of this remedy sold by Geo. E. Mariner's Drug Store, as does with Dr. Schiffmann's famous Asthmador and your money will be refunded, if it does not give perfect satisfaction; in fact even more, if it is not found the best remedy ever used for these afflictions. In buying this new remedy, besides securing the guarantee this druggist gives, it will likewise be

found the most economical to use, for the reason that one bottle (50 cents worth) makes a full pint (128 teaspoonful) of the most excellent cough medicine, after being mixed at home with one pint of granulated sugar and one-half pint of water. One bottle will probably, therefore, be sufficient for a whole family's supply the entire winter, while the same quantity of the old, ordinary, ready-made kinds of medicine would cost between \$2 and \$3. It is prepared from strictly harmless plants, contains absolutely no chloroform, opium, morphine or any other narcotic or injurious drugs as do most cough remedies, and it can therefore be given to children with perfect safety. It is pleasant to take and children are fond of it. Absolutely no risk whatever is run in buying this remedy under the above positive guarantee. R. J. Schiffman, Prop., St. Paul, Minn.

ACID IN STOMACH SOURS THE FOOD

Says Excess of Hydrochloric Acid is Cause of Indigestion

A well-known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion is nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation, then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acid fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas, or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash, or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast while it is effervescent, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salt is used by thousands of people for stomach trouble with excellent results.

years her health has not permitted her taking a very active part in the work.

Changes Positions

Fred L. Walter left for Chicago Saturday night to accept a new position as traveling salesman for the Hale and Kilborn Co., of Philadelphia. Mr. Walter, who has been the representative of the Michigan Stove company for a number of years, resigned his position recently to accept the new one. He will have a territory covering seven states, selling gas stoves only. Mr. Walter's many friends will be pleased to hear of his advancement, though Tomah will be sorry to lose him, as his large territory will make it impossible to reach here very often, though his family will make no change at the present time.

Superintendent Stays

Miss Franzen, superintendent of the Tomah hospital, who resigned her position recently, has been persuaded to reconsider and has signed a contract for another year. The city is to assist in the up-keep of the hospital for this year.

Local and Personal

A number of friends of Mrs. C. W. Croty surprised her with a picnic

supper at her home last week. The occasion was her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing "500".

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Bartel entertained the "500" club at their home on Thursday evening. Mrs. Lou Earle and W. W. Warren received the prizes for high score and Mrs. W. R. McCaul and E. Bartel the consolation prizes.

Miss Adeline Keifer entertained the Auction Club on Saturday at the home of Thomas McCaul in honor of Mrs. Earle's birthday.

There was a fair sized crowd at the "Old Folks" dance Friday night. This was to have been the last one, but another was arranged for, to be given soon after lent.

Herman Rose spent last week with relatives at Reelsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hart went to Milwaukee on Sunday to attend the lumberman's convention. From there they will go to Fort Atkinson to visit relatives.

Mrs. Clara Wells returned the latter part of the week from New Lisbon where she has been for some time with her father, who is ill. She will return on Monday.

Henry White of La Crosse spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drew and family.

Miss Vera Skinner, who is teaching in Mauston, spent Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. Guy Poole of Sparta was an over Sunday visitor with friends. John Bettinger has returned from a two weeks' trip to Chicago and Excelsior Springs.

Miss Lucy Campbell of Houston, Minn., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. B. Keeler.

L. Hirschheimer of La Crosse was in Tomah on business the latter part of the week.

Miss Ruth Sexton, who is attending the La Crosse normal, spent Sunday at her home.

Miss Mary Randall of Mauston was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Van Wie.

Company K held a drill at the Armory Sunday afternoon in preparation for inspection to be held Wednesday night. The members from Warrens drilled with the company.

Mrs. George Richards was in La Crosse on Saturday.

The dramatic club will read Bernard Shaw's comedy, "Fanny's First Play," on Monday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Bartel. Mr. Fawcett will direct the reading.

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CONGRESSMAN ESCH APPROVES PROPOSED RIVER PARK PLAN

Scheme to Make National Park of Beauty Spot Near McGregor Backed in Letters from Congressmen

McGREGOR, Ia., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—The Mississippi Valley National Park association is receiving many favorable communications from congressmen relative to the bill for a national park at McGregor to be introduced in congress by Senator Kenyon and Representative Haugen of Iowa. Among the number are letters from representatives John J. Esch and Thomas F. Konop of Wisconsin; Senator Moses E. Clapp and Representatives C. R. Davis and George R. Smith of Minnesota; Representatives Claude U. Stone and B. M. Chipperfield, Illinois; Speaker of the House of Representatives Champ Clark; Representatives H. E. Hull, C. C. Dowell, Frank P. Woods, Horace M. Towner and C. W. Ramseyer, Iowa.

Clubs Back Plan

The commercial clubs of Marshalltown, Bellevue, Dubuque, Fayette, Clear Lake, Monona, Tripoli, Greene, Elgin, Alcona, Traer, Waukon and Newton, Ia., have forwarded resolutions to congress, endorsing the park proposition, and other commercial clubs are preparing to do so. Miss Althea Sherman, a member of the National Historical association and a McGregorian who has won national recognition among ornithologists by her life study of birds on her farm near here, has been invited to present the matter of the national park to the annual meeting of the association at Memphis in April.

Dance Follows Meet

The prospects are good for a large crowd and fine exhibits at the Farmers' institute to be held in McGregor, February 24 and 25. The program, it is expected, will be the best that has been given at the McGregorian institutes. A farm team contest will take place on Main street, Friday morning with prizes for best farm horses exhibited. A farmers' dance at the opera house is staged for the last night of the institute.

Schedule Near Completion
The Clayton county high school basketball league has nearly finished its schedule for the season. The league comprises the four largest towns in the county, McGregor, Guttenberg, Elkader and Monona. Up to the present Monona and McGregor are tied for first place with three games each to their credit. Two more games are to be played, Elkader vs. Monona and Guttenberg vs. McGregor.

Mrs. McCoy Dies
Mrs. Isabel McCoy, who has been

a resident of this vicinity seventy years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Curran, at McGregor Wednesday, Mrs. McCoy remembered back as far as the days when the Indians were all over this vicinity and a government mission was maintained for the Winnebago Indians on Yellow river, north of North McGregor.

Celebrates 91st Birthday
Guy Kinsley celebrated his ninety-first birthday on Lincoln's birthday. He has the honor of being the oldest of the old settlers of this vicinity and because of the fine influence he has exerted throughout the sixty-three years he has lived near and in McGregor is greatly honored by the people of Clayton county. He has ten living sons and daughters, eight of whom are residents of Iowa.

**ALLEGED FRAUD
IS REFUSED BAIL**

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Thomas Kelly, Chicago contractor under indictment at Winnipeg, Man., for alleged participation in a \$1,250,000 government building fraud lost another fight for freedom on bail pending action by the United States supreme court in his extradition proceedings.

Federal Judge Landis refused him bail and ordered him removed to a jail where he would not receive the privileges officials say he has been allowed at the Waukegan, Ill., jail.

OIL STEAMER ASHORE

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 21.—An oil tank steamer is reported ashore near Herring Cove, on the western coast of Halifax county Saturday. The name of the steamer has not been learned here.

Tonight sure! Take Cascarets and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Wake up with your head clear, stomach sweet, breath right and feeling fine. Get rid of sick headache, biliousness, constipation, furred tongue, sour stomach, bad colds. Clear your skin, brighten your eyes, quicken your step and feel like doing a full day's work. Cascarets are better than salts, pills or calomel because they don't shock the liver or gripe the bowels or cause inconvenience all the next day.

Mothers should give cross, sick, bilious, feverish children a whole Cascaret anytime as they can not injure the thirty feet of tender bowels.

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FOR
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OF
Pictorial
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How many dresses did you make in the past which you never wore, because you found them to be less fashionable, less stylish than your friend's?

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Strengthened by La Crosse Experiences

Kidney disease is too dangerous to neglect. At the first sign of backache, headache, dizziness or urinary disorders, you should give the weakened kidneys prompt attention. Eat little meat, take things easier and use a reliable kidney tonic. There's no other kidney medicine so well recommended as Doan's Kidney Pills. La Crosse people rely on them. Here's one of the many statements from La Crosse people.

G. A. Phelps, 1402 Jackson St. La Crosse, says: "I suffered severely from kidney trouble and backache that generally goes with it. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and had great relief."

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PLEASE HELP SELECT THE PROGRAM FOR THE NEXT CONCERT OF THE PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY — DO IT IN THIS MANNER

LA CROSSE PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY ORCHESTRAL NUMBERS

The Directors of the La Crosse Philharmonic Society have decided to base the programme of their next concert on the desires and tastes of their subscribers and patrons, and take a plebiscite on their Orchestral Numbers. You will greatly assist them by affixing crosses against eight of your favorite numbers in the list given below. Lists should be signed and mailed to the musical director, F. W. Rawstron, 139 South Ninth Street.

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| 1. Overture to Don Juan Mozart | 17. Overture, Midsummer Night's Dream .. Mendelssohn |
| 2. Andante from Surprise Symphony Haydn | 18. Dance, Caprice Grieg |
| 3. Funeral March of a Marionette Gounod | 19. La Roule d'Omphale Saint-Saens |
| 4. Three Dances from Henry VIII. German | 20. March from La Prophete Meyerbeer |
| 5. Marche Hongroise Berlioz | 21. Military Polonaise Chopin |
| 6. Ballet Egyptian Lulligini | 22. Waltz Amorette Gungl |
| 7. Overture to Rosamunde Schubert | 23. Cradle Song Ch. Bach |
| 8. Overture to Tancredi Rossini | 24. Waltz Die Hydrotante Gungl |
| 9. Nell Gwyn Dances German | 25. La Voix des Cloches Lulligini |
| 10. March Le Pere de la Victoire Ganne | 26. Overture, Die Felsenmuelle Reissiger |
| 11. Wedding March Mendelssohn | 27. March from Ataulia Mendelssohn |
| 12. Unfinished Symphony Schubert | 28. March from Tannhauser Wagner |
| 13. Overture, Marriage of Figaro Mozart | 29. Overture to William Tell Rossini |
| 14. Nocturne from Midsummer Night's Dream Mendelssohn | 30. Reverie Extase Ganne |
| 15. March of the Bojars Halvorsen | 31. Sarabande Bohm |
| 16. Norwegian Dances Grieg | 32. Serenade Pierne |

NAME _____ Address _____

SCAN THIS LIST FOR YOUR VERY OWN FAVORITES

The Philharmonic society has taken a democratic step. It has resolved to permit the people of La Crosse to select the program for the next Philharmonic concert. Now, take your pencil.

The accompanying list of thirty-two numbers includes all of those rehearsed by the society to that point of perfection warranting an attempt to reproduce them, with the exception only of pieces reserved for encores. The next program will comprise eight of the numbers. The public is invited to make the choice. You are requested to check off your choice of eight numbers out of the thirty-two. Clip the list thus marked, and mail it to Director F. W. Rawstron, 139 South Ninth Street.

When the returns are all in, they will be checked, and the eight numbers having the greatest number of votes will compose the next concert program.

At 8:20 Tonight! ELKS' MINSTRELS MAJESTIC THEATRE

PETHEY DINK—Oh Yes, Petey Used to Skee as a Child

By C. A. VOIGHT



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WANTED—Men to learn the barber trade. Few weeks completes. Actual experience, careful instructions. A method that has placed thousands in good positions. Can help you. Write Moler Barber College, Milwaukee, Wis. Established 1893.
2 19 25

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can place the following mechanics: all classes of grinding, lathe, planer, shaper, tool makers and bench mechanics. No fees. Applications addressed to Muskegon Employers' Association, Muskegon, Mich.
2 19 22

WANTED—First class experienced machinist

at once by a large Minneapolis manufacturing concern. Good wages, steady work. Address Wages, care Tribune.
2 9 3 8

WANTED—A first class experienced clerk

for general store. Norwegian preferred. Application to 115 S. 5th St.
2 19 25

WANTED—Boy over 16 years

Jensen's Shoe Repair Shop, 107 No. 2nd St.
3 19 22

SALESMEN

WANTED—Salesman on commission who is traveling out of La Crosse or covering territory tributary to La Crosse, to handle leading line of linoleum. State territory you cover, how often, and lines handled. Address "Linoleum," care Tribune.
2 1 1 f

SALESMAN—WANTED—Wisconsin territory

out of La Crosse. State are experience if any, and salary wanted to begin with. Must furnish references with application. National Refining Co., Dubuque, Ia.
2 19 21

WANTED—High class men to sell

our guaranteed, free replace nursery stock. Best terms. Pay weekly. Exclusive territory. Start now. Rice Bros. Co., Geneva, N. Y. Dept. K.
2 21 21

WANTED—Female Help

WANTED—Young women to take nurses training at the Prairie du Chien Sanatorium, Prairie du Chien, Wisconsin.
2 14 26

WANTED—General office girl

stenographer preferred. Address "Office," care Tribune.
2 19 22

WANTED—Good dishwasher at Old Style Inn

Cafe, 115 North Front street.
2 21 3 4

WANTED—Girl at Union hotel

South Third.
2 12 1 f

WANTED—Two girls. Hotel Foley

501 Mill.
2 12 1 f

WANTED—Girls. La Crosse Paper Co. Factory

Bo. Factory.
2 12 1 f

WANTED—Girl. 119 South Tenth street

street.
2 17 22

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Places to care for children Saturdays or evenings. Phone 1224-C. Ask for Miss Field. 2 19 21.

WANTED—Position by experienced stenographer

Address XXX, care Tribune.
2 19 1 f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Automobiles. Good used cars overhauled and guaranteed. 5 passenger Flanders \$275. 5 passenger Studebaker \$285. 5 passenger Ford \$290. 5 passenger E. M. F. \$415. 2 passenger Studebaker \$525. 7 passenger Studebaker \$625. Elsen & Phillips, 110 South Second street. New phone 61. old phone 5613.
2 21 23

FOR SALE—Pool room, five tables

good business, best location on North side. Reason for selling, other business. Inquire Mike Abraham, 216 North Second street.
2 17 21

FOR SALE—Baby carriage, as good

as new, cheap if taken at once. 611 Main street.
2 14 1 f

FOR SALE—By a customer, two dress suits, slightly worn

Call A. J. Brady, Merchant Tailor, Batavian Bank building.
14 1 f

FOR SALE—Ford touring car in good shape

Bargain if taken at once. Inquire Radke Taxi Livery, 117 No. Third. Phone 422.
2 9 1 f

FOR SALE—One large office desk

Must be moved, will sell cheap. L. P. Ledman, 125 South Third. New phone 1338-R.
2 21 23

FOR SALE—Roll top desk, Room 1

second floor, Majestic building.
2 18 21

FOR SALE—Cheap, University Encyclopedia

Good condition. Address 23, Tribune.
2 19 22

FOR SALE—Two passenger Ford, open runabout

118 South Second.
2 16 21

FOR SALE—Cheap, good registered German coach

stallion. A. S. Atkins, Viroqua, Wis.
2 21 26

FOR SALE—Household goods

1507-C.
2 15 21

REAL ESTATE for Sale or Trade

TWO LOTS on South 12th St., 45 ft. by 150 ft. Price \$750. Paved street, sewer, water, gas, all paid. See F. A. Chase, Room 12, Majestic building.
2 19 21

FOR SALE OR RENT—Farm, seven miles from Bangor

230 acres, 106 under cultivation, good buildings, orchard, well, windmill, spring in pasture. Martin Anderson, R. 2, Bangor.
2 17 1 16

IF YOU CARE to trade your farm for income property in La Crosse

which will insure you an independent living, see F. A. Chase, Room 12, Majestic building.
2 19 21

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop on North Fourth street

very reasonable if taken at once. Apply at Radke's saloon, 509 North Fourth street.
2 19 3 3

FOR SALE—Summer cottage locations in "Shore Acres" on Mississippi

Buy now, build later. \$109 buys acre. Terms if desired. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth.
3 27 1 f

SPRING IS HERE, if you care to make a change, buy, sell, or trade

See F. A. Chase, Room 12, Majestic Building.
2 19 21

FOR SALE—1 1/2 acres land in lots, with 15 room house, barn, well; half in strawberries, in village of La Crescent, Minn.

Box 135.
2 17 23

FOR SALE—On easy terms, eight room house, 12 acres good land, 20 acres timber land

August Prahl, Sparta.
2 17 28

FARM FOR SALE—Near Chasaburg, 120 acre land

Inquire at Gust Grosskopf, Chasaburg, Wis.
2 19 3 18

FOR RENT

HOUSE FOR RENT April 1st, delivery. 514 South Seventh St. Good barn connected, used for a garage for two or three cars. See F. A. Chase, Room 12, Majestic Building.
2 19 21

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished sleeping room for two, also one room furnished for light housekeeping

Inquire L. B. Ledman, 125 South Third. New phone 438-R.
2 21 23

A HOUSE FOR RENT on the corner of 12th and Ferry

See F. A. Chase, Room 12, Majestic Building.
2 19 21

FOR RENT—Barn for automobiles

Inquire at 612 Cass street.
2 18 21

A HOUSE FOR RENT, 1404 South 12th St.

See F. A. Chase, Room 12, Majestic Building.
2 19 21

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room

Call 342 or 822-M.
1 12 1 f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping

Private entrance. 1008 Division.
2 14 26

FOR RENT—Ten acres, Losey boulevard and Green Bay streets

Address J. R. Tribune.
2 15 21

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room

Call 619 South Fifth street.
2 16 22

FOR RENT—Ten room modern house, 130 North 7th

Phone 570-A.
2 19 23

FOR RENT—Fine front room

Call 7 to 8 p. m. 816 King.
2 18 21

WANTED—Room and board in private family

Danish or Norwegian preferred. Address 15, care Tribune.
2 21 22

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS, city heat

\$1.50 up. Board if preferred. 424 South Fourth.
2 21 26

FOR RENT—Four rooms, 935 Market

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FOR RENT—Rooms, Inquire 624 South Third

1 10 1 f

FOR RENT—Six room bungalow 407 South 23rd street

12 31 1 f

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room, 517 South Fourth

2 14 26

SEVEN ROOMS, modern, 1021 Jackson

New phone 1136-C.
2 16 22

FOR RENT—Small city heated flat

Inquire 119 So. 10th St.
2 19 23

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR THE BEST GRADE of gasoline and oil engines, engineering equipments, pumps, implements and vehicles, see the Castl Engineering Co. 325-327 Jay street.
3 24 1 f

WANTED—Oak lumber, red and white

also oak wagon stock. Will accept small quantities or car lots. St. Elke & Kohlhaus Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.
1 26 1 f

WANTED—At once, two or three modern furnished housekeeping rooms

Address 11, care Tribune.
2 21 22

PIANO TUNING—Don't neglect your piano

Tuning \$1.50. Repairing, Geo. E. Birdsell, New 1094-C.
2 17 23

ALL MAKES of sewing machines repaired

Henry Kathary, phone 1852-M. Calls promptly attended.
2 8 3 7

WANTED TO BUY—Single bow row boat for portable motor

Address E. S. care Tribune.
2 21 26

WANTED—Electric motor, 1 or 2 H. P.; direct current

Inquire Mr. Schurz, Berling Auto Co.
2 19 21

PLAIN SEWING and dressmaking

605 King. New phone 591-M.
2 16 22

CALL new phone 1529-C for power wood sawing

11 20 1 f

LOST

LOST—Gold watch fob, Saturday night, between Tenth and Denton and Ninth and Green Bay streets. Finder call new phone 1455-A.
2 21 26

LOST—Small black and white fox terrier

1 year old. Face and ears evenly marked with brown—tail bobbed. Call new phone 867-R. Reward.
2 19 21

Shoe Repairing

Neatly done. Try New Shoe Shop, 609 Main.
2 10 3 9

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.
2 19 21

Stoves and Furniture

SECOND-HAND furniture & stoves. Bell Furniture Co., 216 So. Third.
3 17 1 f

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION has for sale three acres in the city limits.
2 3 1 f

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds

La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs.
9 9 1 f

Comparative Markets

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK SATURDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Feb. 19.—Hogs—Receipts 22,000; market steady to strong; mixed and butchers, \$8.00 to \$8.35; good heavy, \$8.10 to \$8.30; rough heavy, \$7.95 to \$8.10; light, \$7.75 to \$8.30; pigs, \$6.25 to \$7.40.
Cattle—Receipts 200; market steady; beefs, \$6.25 to \$9.65; cows and heifers, \$3.00 to \$8.00; canners, \$3.50 to \$4.50; Texans, \$6.40 to \$7.30; calves, \$8.25 to \$11.25.
Sheep—Receipts 1,000; market steady; native, \$7.75 to \$8.20; western, \$7.90 to \$8.30; lambs, \$9.00 to \$10.75; western, \$9.00 to \$11.35.

Daily Markets

(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Wholesale

strawberries, Florida, quart . . . 35c
Apples, Wash., 1/2 bbl. box . . . 1.50
Apples, Jonathans, box . . . 1.75
Apples, Jonathans, bbl. . . 3.50
Apples, Ben Davis, bbl. . . 3.25
Apples, Gemtons, bbl. . . 3.50
Apples, Winkler, bbl. . . 3.50
Oranges, Naval Sunkist, 3/4 to 4.00
Oranges, Fla., per box . . . 2.25
Cider, clarified, 1/2 bbl. . . 4.00
Cider, steam refined . . . 3.75
Cider, crab apple, 1/2 bbl. . . 5.50
Cranberries, Late Howes, bbl. . . 10.00
Bananas . . . 1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50
Lemons, 200 to 260 box . . . 1.75
Grape fruit, per box . . . 3.50
Celery, Michigan . . . 15, 25, 50c
Oysters, Standard, gal. . . 1.20
Oysters, Selects, per gal. . . 1.50
Potatoes, Minn., bu. . . 1.20
Potatoes, Wis., bu. . . 1.10
Rutabagas, per hd. . . 1.25
Onions, per hd. . . 1.25
Cabbage, per hl. . . 1.50
Carrots, per tub . . . 1.25
Parsnips, per tub . . . 1.25

Livestock

(Quoted by Farmers Co-operative Packing Company)

Hogs . . . \$5.75 to \$7.75
Cows . . . \$3.00 to \$5.00
Steers . . . \$3.00 to \$5.00
Heifers . . . \$3.50 to \$5.00
Calves . . . \$5.00 to \$7.50
Sheep . . . \$3.50 to \$4.00
Spring Lambs . . . \$5.50 to \$7.00

Poultry

Chickens . . . 10 to 12c
Turkeys . . . 10 to 12c
Ducks . . . 10 to 12c
Geese . . . 10 to 12c

Provisions

Lard, per pound . . . 12 to 12 1/2c
Shoulders, per pound . . . 10 to 10 1/2c
Pienics, per pound . . . 11 1/2 to 12c
Hacon, per pound . . . 12 to 12c
Ham, per pound . . . 14 1/2 to 16c
Dried beef, per pound . . . 18 to 23c

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Flour
Straight, per barrel . . . \$6.70
Patent, per barrel . . . \$6.90
Feed
Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks . . \$23.00
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb. sacks . \$24.00
White middlings, per ton, 100 pound sacks . . . \$29.00
Red Dog, ton, 100 lb. sacks . \$31.00

Grain

(Quoted by Farmers Co-operative Market Co.)

Corn . . . 75 to 85c
Oats . . . 45 to 50c
Wheat . . . \$1.00 to \$1.15
Rye . . . 80 to 85c
Barley . . . 70 to 80c

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Cond. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound . . 31 to 32c
Dairy butter, per pound . . 26 to 28c
Eggs, fresh, dozen . . . 23c

Cheese

Fancy full cream Brick Cheese, in cases . . . 16 to 18c
Wisconsin Twins . . . 16 to 17c
Wisconsin Daisys . . . 16 1/2 to 17c
Wisconsin Limburger . . . 17 to 19c
Wisconsin Swiss, round . . 23 to 25c

LIVESTOCK WEEK AGO

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Grain

Yesterday, Week Ago

WHEAT—
May . . . 127 1/2 128 1/2
July . . . 122 1/2 121 1/2
CORN—
May . . . 77 1/2 77 1/2
July . . . 77 1/2 77 1/2
OATS—
May . . . 47 1/2 48 1/2
July . . . 45 1/2 45 1/2

BEARS HAVE DAY LOW CABLES CAUSE

May and July Both Lose; Corn Reflects Poor Showing Made in Wheat Pit

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Lower cables, big receipts and favorable weather, were bear factors in the wheat pit today. May, down 1 1-2c at the start, dropped 1 5-8 more to 124 3-8. July, which opened at \$1.21 5-8, a point down, registered a further loss of 1 1-4c.
Corn had a weak undertone, with the situation in this market practically the same as in the wheat pit. May ruled at 76 7-8c, 3-8c down from a low opening, and July at 76 3-4c, 1-4c down from the start.
Oats suffered moderate losses. May slumped 3-8c to 46 5-8c and July 3-8c to 44 5-8c.
Provisions were dull but firm.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Wheat.—No. 2 red, \$1.25 to \$1.27 1/2; No. 3 red, \$1.20 to \$1.22; No. 2 hard, \$1.25 1/2 to \$1.26; No. 3 hard, \$1.16 1/2 to \$1.21 1/2; No. 3 spring, \$1.21 1/2 to \$1.25 3/4.
Corn.—No. 3 yellow, 75 1/2c; No. 4 yellow 68c to 71 1/2c; No. 5 yellow, 57c to 70c; No. 6 yellow 52c to 58 1/2c; No. 3 white, 72c to 72 1/2c; No. 4 white, 70c to 70 1/2c; No. 5 white, 54c to 67c; No. 6 white, 52c to 58c; No. 3 mixed, 71c to 72c; No. 4 mixed, 66c to 70 1/2c; No. 5 mixed, 60c to 68c; No. 6 mixed, 52c to 55c.
Oats.—No. 3 white, 44 1/2c to 45 1/2c; No. 4 white, 43c to 44 1/2c; standard, 45 1/2c to 47 1/2c.
Barley, 66c to 75c.
Rye, No. 2, 98c to 98 1/2c.
Timothy, \$5.50 to \$8.00.
Clover, \$10.00 to \$20.00.

WOMEN'S APRONS—made of good quality gingham, edges bound with white tape, 10c value, Tuesday 10 o'clock only 10c (Limit 1 to customer)

DOERFLINGER'S

MEN'S HATS—An assortment of men's Stiff Hats, values up to \$3.00, special for Tuesday, at each 25c

The Second Day of Our Big Annual Employees' Sale

Children's Rompers
Children's Flannel Rompers, well made, dark colors, special for Tuesday from 9 o'clock until sold, per pair 15c (Limit two pair.)

Bed Spreads
An assorted lot of Bed Spreads, well made of good materials and sold from \$1.25 to \$1.75. Special for Tuesday 98c (Limit one)

Sheeting
Union Mills 36 inch Unbleached Sheet- ing, special for Tuesday, 63 1/4c (On sale from 10 a. m. until 12 noon, Limit 10 yards)

Coverall Aprons
Women's Coverall Aprons, made of good quality gingham, in neat checks and stripes, special for Tuesday from 9 o'clock until sold, each 19c (Limit one)

Salad Bowl
China Salad Bowl, 8 inch size, nicely decorated, actually worth 15c, on sale from 10 o'clock until sold, 5c (Limit 1. None to children)

Toilet Paper
Medium size rolls Toilet Paper, good tissue, actually worth 3c a roll, special for Tuesday from 10 o'clock until sold, 1c (Limit 1. None to children)

Boys' Union Suits
Boys' ribbed fleeced Union Suits, all sizes, 24 to 34, special for Tuesday, garment 29c (Limit two)

Women's Collars
Women's laundered embroidered Linen Collars, formerly sold at 15c and 25c. Special for Tuesday at 5c

BEST QUALITY PERCALES
A full yard wide, a fine, stout cloth, made for service and satisfaction, in stripes, checks and small figures. It's our regular 12 1/2c percale. Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock we place on sale 1,000 yards at yard (Limit 10 yards) 8 3/4c

SOAP DAY SALE
Sale begins at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.
8 bars Flake White Soap 25c
8 bars Bob White Soap 25c
8 bars Gal- vanic Soap 25c
8 bars White Flyer Soap 25c
Limit 8 bars. None sold to children. Delivered with small grocery order

3 bars Lenox or Swift's Pride Soap for 5c
3 bars Ivory Soap for 10c
1/2 pound of Pepper, Allspice, Cloves, Ginger, Cinnamon or Mustard for 5c
All the above for only 10c
All the above for only 15c

Veils
Large size Chiffon Veils, in a variety of colors, a good value at \$1. Special for Tuesday, 59c (Limit one)
SHEET MUSIC—Sheet Music, in an assortment of popular titles. Tuesday at per copy 1 1/2c
Matches
Bird's Eye Matches, special for Employees' Sale Tuesday per box 3c (Limit 5 boxes)

Embroidery
Lot of 18 inch Flouncings and Corset Cover Embroideries special Tuesday, yard 8 3/4c
RUGS
Just 100 Fibre Rugs, size 18x36, attractive colors, on sale Tuesday each 17c (Limit one)
Baking Powder
Rumford Baking Powder, regular 25c a can, special for Tuesday per can 15c (Limit one)

Mufflers
Knit Mufflers, Phoenix style, various colors, on sale Tuesday from 10 o'clock until sold, each 3 1/2c (Limit two)
Pillows
Small Porch Pillows on sale Tuesday from 10:00 o'clock until sold each 5c (Limit two)
Whiskey
Duffy's pure Malt Whiskey, reg. \$1 bottle, on sale Tuesday from 10 o'clock until sold 69c (Limit one)

Tungsten Lamps
Tungsten Electric Lamps, 15, 25 or 40 watt, worth 27c, special for Tuesday each 17 1/2c (Limit two)
Envelopes—Good quality Envelopes, special for Tuesday, 25 for 1c (Limit 25)

Hosiery
Women's fast black and seamless Cotton Hose, with elastic ribbed top, pair 6 1/2c (Limit two pair.)

Men's Shirts and Drawers
Men's extra heavy fleece lined Shirts and Drawers, special for Tuesday garment 29c (Limit two)

Women's Night Gowns
Women's white crepe Night Gowns, full cut, nicely made, trimmed with embroidery, only a small lot, on sale Tuesday at 10 o'clock each 29c (Limit one)

Children's Belts
Children's Buster Brown Belts, in colors of red and white, also in a combination of colors, special for Tuesday each 15c (Limit One)

Linoleum
Inlaid Linoleum, 12 patterns, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values, in pieces up to 25 yards, Choice, yard 75c

Water Pail
Blue enameled seamless Water Pail, white lined, worth 55c, special Tues. 23c (Only 150. 1 to customer)

Men's Night Shirts
Men's flannel night shirts, made of tea-zedown, the heaviest flannel known; garments are full cut, pearl button trimmed, 69c

Corset Covers
One lot of Women's Corset Covers, all sizes, regular 25c value, lace and ribbon trimmed, on sale Tuesday as long as they last, each 13c (Limit one)

SPORTS

NORMAL TOURNEYS FAIRER IN NATURE SAYS DR. SPUTH

Says Lawrence Tournament Is Not Satisfactory Because of Alleged Mismanagement

"It is the natural thing for Lawrence to do," was the comment today of Dr. Carl B. Sputh, director of athletics at the state normal school on the attack of the Lawrence college tournament committee on the plans of the normal schools for settling the state championship. "We could hardly expect anything else, short of admission by the Lawrence people that the handling of their tournament has been unsuccessful."

Dr. Sputh referred to the circular letter sent out from Appleton, characterizing the normal school plans as incomprehensible and fraught with failure. Dr. Sputh drew this comparison between the plans of the two normals and those of the Lawrence tournament committee.

Under the sponsorship of the normals, every school in every section of the state will be allowed to gather at its respective center and there determine leadership of each section. Then the winners will meet in Milwaukee and play for the state championship.

Under the Lawrence plan, a committee, arbitrarily at times, chooses those teams which shall represent the sections, oftentimes not holding apparently strictly to merit. Several schools throughout the state, in particular La Crosse, have refused to participate in the tournament under any conditions because of alleged unfairness on the part of the Lawrence committee in choosing sectional leaders.

The middle western section tournament will be held at the La Crosse normal March 9, 10, 11. The section is bounded by Baraboo on the east, Durand on the north, La Crosse on the west and Prairie du Chien on the south. Prairie du Chien, because of faculty relations, will enter the Plattville tourney.

BILLIARDS

With four games won and one lost, Arthur Mills and J. E. Dahlgren are tied for the leadership of Class A of the Y. M. C. A. handicap billiard tournament.

The standings:

Class A	Name	W.	L.	Pct.
	Mills, Arthur	4	1	.800
	Dahlgren, J. E.	4	1	.800
	Taylor, J.	3	2	.600
	Gesell, Raymond	3	2	.600
	Fox, Ed	3	2	.600
	Schweizer, C. H.	2	2	.500
	Huebner	4	1	.800
	Montague, Theodore	3	2	.600
	Ed. Schwalbe	3	2	.600
	Beisel Harold	1	2	.333
	A. C. Gran	1	1	.500
	B. C. Miner	1	1	.500
	Ed Dittman	0	1	.000
Class B				
	Schewe	7	2	.778
	R. C. Puckett	10	3	.770
	O. W. Muenster	7	3	.700
	Earl Hirschheimer	5	3	.625
	M. A. Goff	3	2	.600
	Ray Keeler	3	2	.600
	Horton Kline	4	2	.667
	Oliver Ash	3	2	.600
	Russell Horner	1	2	.333
	Vilas Horner	2	2	.500
	George Howe	2	2	.500
	Herman Hanson	2	2	.500
	H. W. Livingston	1	2	.333
	P. T. Schulze	1	2	.333
	Gerald Westby	0	2	.000
Class C				
	Tracy Johnson	8	1	.889
	Alf Gunderson	4	1	.800
	C. C. Mitchell	2	2	.500
	C. Johnson	3	2	.600
	Carroll Robb	2	2	.500
	Kliever J. C.	3	2	.600
	Leroy Yerly	2	2	.500
	Wm. Mayo	1	2	.333
	J. R. Moore	1	2	.333

Results Saturday
Dahlgren, 100, defeated Schweizer, 300, 100-177.

With The Trap Shooters

C. C. Mitchell, professional, led the field yesterday in the weekly shoot of the La Crosse Gun club, with 45. L. F. Kroner, with 40 targets, topped the amateurs.

The scores:

L. F. Kroner	50	40
A. Moll	50	38
A. J. Roberge	50	37
Gus Rose	50	37
A. M. Thompson	50	37
Ed Newburg	50	36
A. E. Tausche	50	33
J. A. Bartl	50	32
W. A. Wager	50	32
C. F. Sutor	50	32
F. Schwalbe	50	26
J. E. Higbee 16 ga.	50	21
*C. C. Mitchell	50	45

Doubles

A. E. Tausche	24	17
*C. C. Mitchell	24	14
A. M. Thompson	24	11
A. L. Moll	24	10
F. Schwalbe	24	9
W. A. Wager	24	7

*Professional.

BLACKBURN RELEASED

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Russell Blackburn, utility third sacker with the Chicago White Sox last season was released on Saturday to the Toronto club.



Prudence of the Parsonage is a story as fresh and sweet as cherry blossoms with dew on them.

—James Whitcomb Riley

PRUDENCE OF THE PARSONAGE

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SUCKERS SWAMPED AND HANGERS RULE TITLE FAVORITES

Wisconsin Tossers Land on Much-touted Illini to Tune of 34 to 14 Score

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 21.—The fierce attack and defense of the rejuvenated University of Wisconsin basket ball team swept the Illinois squad off its feet in the Badger gymnasium Saturday night. Three field goals and eight free throws gave Illinois but 14 points against Wisconsin's 34. Wisconsin is now the favorite for the big nine championship.

The wonderful defensive work of Olsen and Smith, together with hard playing on the part of all members of the Badger five, kept the Illinois team entirely under cover.

Both Capt. Hass and Olsen were ruled out for fouling, which was the feature of the Badger play, but they played one of the hardest and fastest games on the Wisconsin floor.

Neither team played the cleanest of games, due on the one side to the ferocity of the fight and on the other to rather poor officiating.

Lineup and summary:
Wisconsin—Levis, r.f.; Hass (Capt.), l.f.; Chandler, c.; Smith, r.g.; Olsen, l.g.
Illinois—Ralph Woods, r.f.; Elwell, l.f.; Alwood, c.; Applegram, r.g.; Ray Woods (Capt.), l.g.

Substitutions—By Wisconsin: Meyers for Hass. By Illinois: Otto for Elwell. Field goals—Wisconsin: Hass, 2; Levis, 5; Olsen, 2; Chandler, 5; Meyers, Carlson, Illinois: Elwell, Ralph Woods, Alwood. Free throws—Wisconsin: Smith, 2; Illinois: Ralph Woods, 8; Foul, Meyers, Illinois: Ralph Woods, Alwood, Ray Woods, Applegram. Referee—Schommer. Umpire—Hoffman.

Other Scores
BLOOMINGTON, Ind.—Northwestern, 40; Indiana, 26.
COLUMBUS, O.—Chicago, 25; Ohio State, 13.

Whitewater Loses
OSHKOSH, Wis., Feb. 21.—The Oshkosh normal's basket ball five defeated Whitewater here on Friday night, 23 to 14.

IT LOOKS GOOD

Conference Standings

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Wisconsin	6	0	.857
Northwestern	6	2	.750
Illinois	4	2	.667
Iowa	2	2	.500
Minnesota	2	2	.500
Indiana	1	2	.333
Ohio	2	5	.286
Chicago	2	5	.286
Purdue	2	6	.250

WILLARD WILL BE OUT LAST OF WEEK

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Jess Willard will be in New York the latter part of this week, according to Tex Rickard today.

Rickard talked with Willard and Jones in Chicago by long distance during the morning and added a spile to the report that Jess had suffered a relapse. The champion is rounding into such good shape he expects to start east within a few days, Rickard was told.

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POINTERS FEARED BY WEISSE'S MEN

Can Stevens Point come back? That is the question revolving in the minds of normal school basket ball enthusiasts prior to their game with the Pointers on Thursday night of this week. La Crosse had no trou-

ble in defeating the team here, but they have made some good showings since that time. Therefore a comeback may be expected.

Only two games now remain between the present state champions and the 1916 championship of the northern section of the state. If the game is won with Stevens Point this week, River Falls will present the only obstacle in the locals' path. Should this important game, which

is played here March 3, be won, La Crosse would again be ready to meet the Milwaukee aggregation in the championship battle.

Although last week was a hard one for Weisse's team, they have only the two big games to prepare for during the next two weeks.

A successful man is one who succeeds in making others think as much of him as he does himself.

MEETING POSTPONED

The meeting called for yesterday to formulate plans for the coming Wisconsin-Iowa-Minnesota bowling tournament, was postponed to some date this week, John Williams announced today.

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